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THE DECALOGUE.

"THOU SHALT NOT KILL."

From far creation's birth
When the first son of earth,
With stubborn will,
And his red hand of might,
Did his own brother smite,—
Spoke out the God of right,
"Thou shalt not kill."

From yonder mount of rock,
Amid the thunder shock
It echoes still;
Within the lightning's glare,
The Lord of Life is there,
He speaks in the still air,—
"Thou shalt not kill."

He, who at Galilee
Unto the raging sea
Said, "Peace, be still,"—
Who, to the blind gave sight,
And taught the erring right,
Said, from the fount of light,—
"Thou shalt not kill."

Let not thy brother's blood,
From the wild wood or flood,
Cry out until
The omnipresent ear
Th' accusing sound shall hear,
And thou this word shalt fear;—
"Thou shalt not kill."

Keep watch upon thy heart;
Bid thought of hate depart
And curb thy will;
Then shalt thou never fear,
In thy reluctant ear
These words of wrath to hear,—
"Thou shalt not kill."

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HOME PICTURES.

THE BABY'S CRIB.—How suddenly the little feet cease from their pitter patter, and how the blue eyes opened wide, and wider, as we entered the room with the baby's crib! How statue-like she stood and looked at it, folded under our arm so snugly, till she had solved the problem, and, throwing up her little hands, ejaculated the sweetest word the weary know—"*bed*."

Then how she ran toward the fold of rest! how eagerly she watched its opening, till the baby's place revealed itself and the little hands patted the side frame, as the tiny lips re-christened it with "O, de bed!"

Round and round her new possession ran the little fairy, patting it as she went, till, satisfied it was all right, peeping up between the shining rounds, she saluted us, in tones more full of winsome glee than song of happiest bird, with "peep, mama, peep."

Were there ever before so many pin-and-button barriers between a baby and its nightdress? No wonder she grew impatient, and reached out her little arms imploringly for the "bed, bed, bed; O de bed." And when we laid her in it, *such* a smile lit up her innocent face.—the sweetest, we are sure, this side the mansions of eternal rest.

Then came the call for "toto," "toto," (story) and while we hummed the well known lullaby, the mysterious change, so like death, went quickly on, till our little one was in the Land of Dreams, leaving us in the presence of a grander miracle than the "great calm" that fell so suddenly on Galilee—content only to know that "*So* He giveth his beloved sleep."

Five feet of frame for two of baby! Was not some one very thoughtful? Yes, and *is*,—thinking sweet, sad thoughts—(of which the more 'twere hard to tell) as, looking at the crib,—in other hush than that of twilight,—so securely fencing in our treasure on every side, for the first time we see, and *feel*, it has no railing skyward.

So much too large, yet, by the wonder-burdened look of welcome for which no words were found, by the bird-like gyrations for delight unspeakable, by the laying on of pure white hands and the endearing christening of "O de bed," by the radiant smile that shone out upon us from the pearl-set gates of innocence ajar, by the slumber no ghost of guilt can haunt—sleep unremembered—passing before our eyes, but nevermore to touch their lids, by all the hopes that reach out hands of blessing towards it, by all the fears that gather shadows round it,—verily it is the baby's crib—her own.

The furniture vender holds its equivalent in depreciated paper; we, in coin current wherever there are happy homes, and which has stood at *pa* value from Adam until L. D. P.

HARPER'S PERIODICALS.—With the past year closed the thirty-ninth volume of *Harper's Monthly*, the thirteenth volume of the *Weekly* and the second of the *Bazar*. All these publications have deservedly attained a high reputation in the literary world, because of the general excellence of their reading matter and the admirable cuts by which they are illustrated. It would, perhaps, be incorrect to say that *Harper's Magazine* has formed the literary character of the United States; but it most certainly has given tone to and lent a powerful aid to the advancement of American literature. By a happy combination of entertainment with instruction the publishers have succeeded in making it the most popular and widely read monthly in the republic. In like manner, though to a less extent, the *Weekly* has exercised a beneficial influence upon the community, while the *Bazar*, which is of a late birth, has entirely done away with the necessity for foreign periodicals of fashion.

FREE SEATS.—Rev J. Freeman Clark, of Boston, recently, by request of the financial committee, made a statement of their pecuniary success for the twenty-nine years he had been connected with the church. He said, "*free seats* had been a success. He had never had any salary, never wanted any, had always been satisfied with what they had given him. It was evident that free churches must be opened to bring in the masses—That now a large proportion of the people did not attend church and many of them could not afford it."

[From the Buffalo Express.]

THE COMING WOMAN.—A ROMANCE OF THE XVITH AMENDMENT.

BY HY SLOCUM.

Chapter 1.—The Lovers.

"Speak, sweetest, and bid me hope?" Such were the words that fell in honeyed accents from the lips of Zenobia De Vere, the most gifted, brilliant and promising young lawyess in the city of N——. Well, indeed, was Zenobia entitled to the proud position she had achieved, unaided, in the ranks of that exacting and jealous fraternity. Left a penniless orphan, she had surmounted, one after another, the difficulties that beset the pathway of the poor and unknown, and by her maiden plea in behalf of an innocent, but too confiding youth who had been wronged and betrayed by a wily and heartless deceiveress, she had electrified the Court and jury-women by an appeal of mingled pathos and invective, so powerful that Her Honor the Judge was dissolved in tears, and the jurywomen with difficulty restrained their inclination to scratch the defendant's rouge-tinted face, besides mulcting her in heavy damages.

Zenobia's face would hardly be deemed beautiful by those whose ideas of beauty are only satisfied by regularity of features and bloom of complexion; but the seat of a noble intellect was stamped upon her brow, while its rays beamed from her deep and eloquent eye—from both of them in fact—with a bewildering light that blinded the gazer to the composite architecture of her countenance. Many a shy, admiring glance had the stately Zenobia elicited from the timid and susceptible young gentlemen of N—; but, coolly indifferent to the shafts of Cupid, she devoted herself, with unflagging zeal and undivided heart, to her chosen profession, invulnerable, apparently, to the assault of every passion, save ambition. Yet the time soon came, with the emotional thermometer at the boiling-point, when her earnest nature was stirred to its profoundest depths.

Clarence Fitz Howard (what a grateful flavor pervades those aristocratic names!) was the only son of a wealthy stockbrokess. While every luxury and indulgence that wealth could command had been his, no precautions had been spared, by his circumspect mother, to shield him from improper associations and to protect him from the fascinations of designing fortune huntresses and unprincipled adventuresses. Nor were these precautions superfluous. To the allurement of prospective affluence Clarence added personal charms of the highest order. He was beautiful as a poet's dream. (That is supposed to be rather a nice looking mess, I believe.) The suns of twenty summers had touched his waving locks with shimmering gold—if you please; the roses of twenty Summers had tinted his downy cheeks with damask hue; the skies of twenty Summers had left their azure in his "darkly, deeply, beautifully blue" eyes. He was a blonde; and the wan moustache, just budding beneath his delicately chiseled alabaster nose, was a type of his coy, modest and clinging nature. This was the angelic creature who had thawed the frigid heart of Zenobia. They met—the usual way. They loved—ditto. A tidal wave of the tender passion swept over Zenobia's bosom and swallowed up her stern resolve to live alone for fame; while Clarence felt himself drawn to Zenobia by that subtle influence which attracts the vine to the oak, with a tendency to twine a little. Then "eyes looked love to eyes which spake again," and, after the customary interchange of eloquent glances, Zenobia determined to remove all lingering doubts by extorting, from the lips of Clarence, a confession that might confirm her sweet hope of wearing this tender flower in her bosom. So she poured the whispered story of her love into the coy but willing ear of Clarence, whose heightened color, and downcast eyes swimming in unshed tears of happiness, foreshadowed the confession that trembled on his lips.

"Speak, sweetest, and bid me hope!" said Zenobia, gently clasping the hand—white as the driven snow (which is much whiter than common snow)—of Clarence; "wilt though be mine?"

Faintly returning the pressure of her clasping fingers, Clarence "sighed and looked unutterable things," then hid his blushing face upon Zenobia's shoulder and, gently sighing, breathed as follows:

"Ask mamma!"

"My own!" gasped Zenobia, in a dime novel ecstacy, printing a kiss (in capitals) on the vermeil-tinctured lips of Clarence, and considerably embracing his taper waist—but custom, as well as courtesy, requires the spectator to withdraw at this interesting juncture, in all well regulated novels; and I'd rather take a walk now, any way, than to hang around any longer.

CHAPTER II.

THE CRUEL PARENT.

"So, madam, you reject my suit for the hand of your son?"

"Miss De Vere pays me a meagre compliment in presuming that a Fitz Howard would permit her tender, high-bred son to marry a beggar!"

"But, madam, poor though I am, your son loves me; and to part us now would break his tender heart and cruelly—"

"Enough! Know that sooner than consent that he should wed beneath him, I would see my son droop and wither like the fragile violet with the canker at its root. I would immure him in a nunnery and leave him to pine with a green and yellow melancholy! And if he so wed in defiance of my wishes, I will disown him! Good morning!"

With proud humility Zenobia submitted to this rebuff from the mother of her darling, and concentrating all her lofty spirit into one royal salute, withdrew.

[I avail myself of this opportunity to mention the fact that "the course of true love never did run smooth;" in fact, to condense Shakespeare's aphorism, "she runs rily."]

Though unsuccessful in her suit, Zenobia was not disheartened; and after a few clandestine interviews with her soul's idol, she persuaded the fond and yielding Clarence to take a step, the details of which I reserve for.

CHAPTER III.

THE ELOPEMENT.

The gas burned dimly in the boudoir of Clarence Fitz Howard. That fair and gentle being reclined gracefully in the luxurious upholstery of a sandal wood *fauteuil*, stroking his incipient moustache with a nervous assiduity that betokened a high degree of anxious solicitude.

Glancing at the ormolu time-piece that adorded a niche over his exquisitely carved and pearl-inlaid toilet case, he murmured "Eleven o'clock! the appointed hour! Why does she not come?" He had scarcely spoken when a pebble rattled lightly against the French-plate window. "Ha! the signal! 'tis she!" exclaimed Clarence, gliding with sylph-like grace to the window. With a strength borrowed from excitement he raised the sash and peered forth with his liquid orbs into the murky night.

(I would like to describe the beautifully soft picture of Clarence, framed in the window, with his fair locks thrown back from his Grecian brow and his coral lips parted expectantly, &c., but business is too pressing.)

"Hist, Clarence! Art thou there?" came a whispered tone out of the darkness.

"Zenobia! At last!" exclaimed Clarence, clasping his jeweled fingers over his left bosom and panting with agitated sensibility.

For Zenobia to elevate a ladder and scale the window was but the work of a moment; but rapid as were the movements, she alighted upon the gorgeous velvet of the boudoir carpet only just in time to receive, in her supporting arms, the inanimate form of her Clarence, whom intense excitement had caused to swoon. Seizing a gold mounted *vinaigrette* off an arabesque stand of exquisite pattern (this completes the inventory of furniture, I believe) Zenobia lightly swung the lifeless form of Clarence across her shoulder, and vaulting through the window, rapidly descended the ladder to find herself confronted, as she reached the ground, by the majestic figure of Mrs. Fitz Howard flanked by two policemen. "Kidnappess! Burgless! unhand my son! Officers arrest her!" hissed the infuriate mother.

Depositing the insensible Clarence against the foot of the ladder, Zenobia turned with blazing eye, proudly defiant, like a lioness at bay (we all know how that is,) and awaited the onset of the myrmidons, who little dreamed of the fate that awaited them in the encounter.

(*To Let.*)

(I don't like to interrupt a narrative at a point so critical, but after consulting the best models, in the *Ledger* and *Weekly*, I am driven to admit that the truly artistic mode of publishing a story, is to get the readers' curiosity excited to the highest pitch, and then suddenly kick the next chapter from under them, and let them hang by the rope of anticipation until the next issue brings them a reprieve. That's the style in the *Ledger* and other dispensers of classic fiction. They get their readers excited—sort of tarantula-bitten—and then they are bound to have the next number, to see what bit them. The *Ledger* readers all have a sort of hungry, hankering expression, which they derive from the habit of looking into next week.)

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—A COLORED MAN'S EXPERIENCE.—Last evening, while our reporter was seated in the Mayor's office, a stalwart colored man rushed frantically into the office and enquired for the Mayor or his clerk. Neither of these officials were present, and the darkey was so informed; but believing from the conduct of the youth that something was wrong, Chief Hague was called and introduced to him.

After he had recovered his composure, he narrated the following as the result of his experience while being initiated into the organization known as the Knights of Pythias, claiming that his self-respect had been outraged and his name ridiculed by every person in Minersville. He said that about three weeks ago, he was approached by two well-known citizens of Minersville, one a physician, and the other a lawyer, with the request that he join the Knights of Pythias. He at first refused the invitation, but finally yielded to persuasion and agreed to join. The gentleman referred to then informed him that if he would call at a feed store on Center Avenue, near Minersville, four evenings afterward, he would be put through a "degree." He was on hand, according to promise, and as he avers, the following programme was carried out: He was stripped of his clothing, blindfolded and handcuffed. He was then started running through the feed store, "ducked" with water, and bran thrown all over him. He was made to jump over benches, &c., and after about an hour he was informed that he had passed the first "degree." This much for the first night.

Tuesday evening was arranged for the taking of the second degree. The colored man was hunted up, and notified to be on hand at the new hall, over the carstables of the Central Passenger Railway, at Minersville, where the Knights would be in session. Sambo came in time, was presented to the large audience, who observed him with masked faces, then conducted him to an "ante room," stripped, hand-cuffed, and blinded as before, and conducted to the hall. Here he was made to perform all sorts of gymnastic feats, such as running around the hall, jumping over benches, butting the "goat," &c. His conduct must have been really ludicrous. He was kept at this nearly two hours, when he was taken to the ante room, dressed, and sent home, with instructions to henceforward consider himself a knight of the second degree. He could not think of it with any degree of comfort, however; and resolved to inform all others bent on joining the Knights of the torments they would have to endure to become a member of the order. Sweet dreams came to him during his slumbers, however; he thought he had arose to the rank of D. D. G. M. P. G. R. of order; that he was out on dress-parade in full regalia, and the thought of the trials he endured was but little compared with the honors now heaped upon him. Yesterday morning he awoke to the painful reality that all was a delusion: that he was still a "second degree knight." Subsequently he was informed that he had been humbugged, bamboozled, &c., and determining to punish his persecutors, called at the Mayor's office last evening to take the necessary steps toward that end. Chief Hague, after the darkey had concluded his somewhat lengthy narrative, consoled him in the following manner; "Go home my good man! It is all a joke. Nothing is meant whatever." The darkey replied, "No, sah; I'll do no such thing; they can't make no fool of dis chile. I'll go to a 'squire's office and sue dem." Exit negro.—*Pittsburg Commercial.*

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 4, 1870.

MR. EDITOR:—I will commence this letter by adding a few more items relative to the labors of christian churches here among the Chinese.

Since my last writing, our second quarterly meeting of superintendents and teachers engaged in this good work has been held, but owing to various other important and interesting gatherings on the same evening, the attendance was small and reports not received from all the schools, but such as did report showed a decided increase in numbers and interest.

The school in charge of Mr. Wadsworth, Church of the Advent (Episcopal) had increased from 43 to 82.

The school at Dr. Cunningham's church (Presbyterian) Mr. Gray superintendent, from 40 to 75.

The school connected with Dr. Scudder's church Hon. George Barstow, superintendent, was not reported, but has increased from 154 to 183.

The Powell Street M. E. School, C. A. Morrill superintendent, was reported as having increased from 104 to 192. After some discussion upon the questions, "What is the best plan for teaching the Chinese our language?' and 'How and to what extent shall Christianity be taught in our schools?' the meeting adjourned to meet at the call of the chairman, Rev. O. Gibson.

I will take occasion to say the church of which Dr. A. L. Stone is pastor have finally roused to a sense of the great importance and necessity of this work of educating and christanizing the Chinese, and have decided to start a school on next Sunday evening. They have sought and received the full benefit of our eighteen months experience.

I hold in my hand a letter just received from John Stuart Mill of England in reply to one addressed him a few weeks since relative to our Chinese population. As it may be of interest to your readers, you shall have the benefit of its first publication.

COVIGNON, Jan. 20, 1870.

Dear Sir: I beg to acknowledge your letter of Nov. 21. I think you must have been misinformed as to the purport of the letter which I addressed on the 23d of October to a Californian citizen who had asked my opinion on the subject of the Chinese immigration. I certainly said that the settlement in large numbers of a population in a lower state of civilization and willing to work for a lower rate of remuneration would have a tendency to deteriorate the condition of the native laborer for wages, and would, so far, on general principles, justify restraints on immigration; but I urged, as as a greatly preferable course, to endeavor, by education, to raise the Chinese population to the level of the American; and it is with great pleasure I learn from your letter, that this is already being attempted with some success. The only measure of restriction which I did advocate was in the enforcement of stringent laws against introducing Chinese under contract to work for particular persons; which is a form of compulsory labor, that is, of slavery. I should greatly deprecate the substitution of a Chinese for an American population in all the departments of manual labor, the Chinese remaining what they are; but I distinctly stated in my letter that so long at least as the bulk of the immigrants return eventually to their own country the opportunity given to numerous Chinese of becoming familiar with better and more civilized habits of life is one of the best chances that can be opened up for the improvement of the Chinese in their own country, and one which it does not seem to me that it would be right to withhold from them. I am Dear Sir,

yours very faithfully,

J. S. MILL.

Since my last writing our Chinese neighbors have been celebrating their New Year which commenced on Sunday, Jan. 30, or rather at midnight of Jan. 29. This with the Chinese nation is the great festival of the year, and the Chinese on these shores, in their celebration follow the customs of fatherland, the only difference being in the length of time the festivities are continued. In China the wealthier class devote an entire month, while here, their business habits being influenced by ours, they gave but from 3 to 5 days. The Chinese quarters in this city are confined to but a few streets and blocks and the residents in that vicinity were kept awake from midnight Saturday till Sunday morning by firing of crackers and bombs. This practice is kept up during the entire festival, reminding one of the celebration of our own Fourth of July by Young America. Through the night visits were made to different temples where they bent the knee in reverence to their gods.

At the close of the year the Chinese settle all their financial affairs in much the same way as do our own people. All classes appear in new clothing on first day of the year, and many merchants might be seen walking the streets clad in satin robes and rich furs; the women were abroad in considerable numbers, their hair decorated with flowers. Business was entirely suspended by them the first day, and among the richer classes some stores were kept closed three or four days; others were kept open merely to receive the calls of friends either Chinese or American; the calls being one of the principal features of the festivities.

Having received special invitations I with a party of friends called upon some merchants of our acquaintance. An account of one of these calls will serve as a specimen of the whole. The store was very neatly fitted up for the reception of visitors, chairs covered with Chinese embroideries being placed along in front of the counters, and between each two were placed stands to hold refreshments. Tables covered with delicacies of different kinds, cakes, sweetmeats, teas, wine and cigars stood at the side of the room. Our host Mr. Ah Yup, a very intelligent man, who speaks good English entertained us in a manner that would do credit to an American gentleman receiving his friends. Indeed not even American gentlemen often exhibit such a degree of ease and self possession as he, standing before us, conversing on various topics of interest. We were invited to partake of the good things, which we did; as none of our party were smokers, and we were all temperance people (a rare thing for San Francisco,) the wine and cigars were dispensed with; but we took the tea that was served in tiny china cups, which hold scarcely more than a tablespoonful; and we tried the sweetmeats which all came from China; the Chinese seem to have the art of preserving fruits in perfection. There were preserved cocoanut, limes, dates, and most delicious of all preserved pumpkin, which would almost melt in the mouth.

All our calls were equally pleasant, and we are of the opinion that the Chinese merit the reputation of being very polite and very hospitable.

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THE BIBLE IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS

The Superior Court of Ohio has decided on the question of the Bible in the public schools, in favor of the Bible, and issued a perpetual injunction restraining the execution of the vote of the school board not to allow the Bible or sacred singing in the schools. Judge Hogans held that the provisions of the Constitution recognize Christianity, acknowledge religion and morality to be necessary to good government, and that the State uses religion as a means to promote good government, therefore, the exclusion of all religious instruction from the public schools is contrary to the Bill of Rights. Judge Hogan reviews at length the legal and technical questions of the case, and decides that the court has full jurisdiction, and that the constitution and laws protect all religions, and reaches the following conclusions: First, these provisions of the constitution tend to the homogenity of the population, and contain the true philosophy of government. Second, the State is necessary to society, and originates in God, they are therefore inseparable. Third, this appears from the legislation for protection of religious worship, of which any denomination cannot be deprived. Fourth—The State uses both sects and school as instrumentalities to secure its ends. Fifth—It is the political value of religion morality and knowledge which the State proposes to secure, and only on this ground the taxation for the protection of religious worship and encouragement for instruction is justified. Sixth—The Constitution simply provides that no sect or sects shall by law control any part of the school fund. It is not claimed in that sense such result would follow by any decision of this case. Seventh—We have nothing to do with the consequences of the proper construction of the law. Conscience must be subordinated to the public good, just as we surrender other national rights for the same end. "*Solis populi surpemi lex,*" is a maxim. Eighth—We are not to dethrone religion, morality and knowledge intended by the Constitution. Ninth—If we worship science or art, or collective wisdom, ect, in any sense, and make that worship a manifestation of our religious convictions, these resolutions would prohibit instructions therein. Tenth.—Our common schools cannot be secularized, though it is a question whether it would not be better that they should be. Christianity is the prevailing religion of the State, and the moral sense of the people is controlled by it, and whatever is opposed undermines the moral support of the laws and corrupts the community.

Judge Storer followed with a concurrent opinion, in which he said: "We will dismiss all references to past history and all discussion of the authenticity and authority of the Scriptures. Nothing is gained by an assertion that the Bible is not the revealed will of God. The constitution recognizes the existence of a Supreme Being, but gives no preference to sects. Protection it gives to religious worship is not intended to apply to those who, like the Athenians, worship an unknown God. It is the Christian religion which is recognized by the Constitution, and the Legislature sustained this view by exempting the family Bible from execution, providing that each apprentice shall be provided with one, that the Bible shall be in the hands of every inmate of a jail, penitentiary or reformatory institution. All this is at the public expense, and it is now claimed that the Bible cannot be read in common schools. Nay, more, our halls of the Legislature and our Courts of Justice are supplied with copies of the Bible, and it is only from the common schools that it is sought to be expelled, thus making them the only exception to the general recognition of the Bible as the exponent of morality and religion. He concluded by saying that the revealed religion of the Bible is that meant by the Constitution, and has been recognized by the legislation of the General Assembly. On no other ground can blasphemy be made criminal. The defendants say the natural conscience is to be developed. What is the process by which high and holy motive is presented to the pupil who is deprived of the teachings of the Bible. By this rule there can be no standard, and every man would be a law unto himself. The strife of opinion would be uncontrolled, and the moral power of the country would be dependent on individual caprice. He did not admit the assertion that the Bible leads to sectarianism; this is the work of man, not God. The Scriptures teach that we are all of one origin, but the human lesson is different. We learn from the Bible to forgive injuries. Not so in the systems of human philosophy. A volume that teaches immortality cannot teach exclusiveness. The Bible has suffered from its friends. Judge Storer further affirmed that there was no oppression of Catholics or Jews, the conscience of both sects being fully respected, and that the reading the Scriptures was not act of worship. He concluded by saying that the resolutions of exclusion are a "sweeping' edict, and leave the pupils not only without God, but not even natural religion may be taught. If the pupil asks about his origin, he may be referred to Geology, but not to Genesis. If he asks why the Sabbath is observed, the teacher must ask permission of the Board of Education before the question can be answered. In the whole case we conclude that we have complete jurisdiction; that the case presents equitable ground for interference; that the powers of the defendants have been transcended; that their action is "*ultra vires*" and void, and the injunction must be made perpetual.

Judge Taffe dissented, taking the view that the Constitution did not require religious teachings in the schools, much less the Protestant Christian religion. That the Board of Education had full power and jurisdiction over books used in schools, the only appeal being to the Legislature, and thence to the people; that the bill of rights exempted any citizen from taxation for the support of a religion contrary to his conscience, and that the Board had only aimed to make the free schools correspond with the tendencies of the age. The counsel for the Board will carry the case to the Supreme Court.

THEATRICAL SHOEMAKERS.—At the opening of Booth's Theater, a little over a year ago, Mr. Somers, a theatrical shoemaker, furnished sixty-five pairs of shoes of five different styles, for "Romeo and Juliet." For these great occasions, the costumer of the theater must be well prepared, and thoroughly understand his business. The material for these shoes, a plain white kid, was imported, and, with the design, furnished to the shoemaker, who returned them to the costumer to be stained, to represent different materials.

The following items from the account of the above-named theatrical shoemaker with Edwin Booth, will give some idea of the styles and prices in this branch of the business:

One pair turret topped plum colored morocco boots for Sir Giles Overreach	$28 00
One pair scarlet silk high tongue shoes for Cardinal Richelieu	12 00
One pair silk velvet Venetian shoes with cut point front and back, toe and instep	12 00
One pair red morocco Roman sandals for Brutus	10 00
One pair King Richard strapped shoes, long pointed toe, of plum colored velvet (very elegant)	16 00
One pair bucket top boots, King Charles the First style, plum colored morocco, made very high and to fold over, lined with the same material, using three skins.	25 00
One pair black silk velvet shoes, with three straps, for Hamlet	12 00

This class of goods is very durable. After lasting many years, if a piece has an unusually long run, the costumes get pretty well worn out, but there is no cobbling, no repairing done, by him of the St. Crispin who counts Brutus and Hamlet, Julius Cæsar, Macbeth and King Richard among his patrons, nor will he demean his art by associating with it common work for the people.

JOTTINGS.

An old lady in England kept her coffin in her room for five years, and when she died the other day she couldn't be got into it. The carpenter hadn't calculated for dropsy.

—The average depth of the Atlantic ocean, as shown by the soundings made in connection with the laying of submarine cables, is 12,000 feet. The deepest part of the ocean is on the American side near the Newfoundland banks, where an immense basin exists whose depth is supposed to exceed the height of the Himalayan range of mountains.

Nebraska, whose name is connected with the hottest of the anti-slavery agitation, is the last State to ratify the Fifteenth Amendment. Thirty legislatures have now passed the resolution of ratification, and six have rejected it. These six are New Jersey, Delaware, Maryland, Kentucky, California and Oregon.

The New York Tribune says gold is evidently doomed. It is not wanted for shipment abroad nor for use at home, and there is no reason why the price should be kept up. There is a large amount of it in the market, and when not drawing interest it is an expensive luxury to keep. It is a remarkable fact, that the fall in gold has had but very little effect upon the price of government bonds, and upon the bond and stock market generally.

Examples of the lowest and most revolting character, seem to be on the increase. The murderer, Reynolds of New York, who recently committed the foul murder of Townsend, and afterward remarkdd that 'hanging was played out in New York,' has found an equal in Lawrence, the Bangor murderer, who, while being taken back to jail after the verdict of guilty, told his keepers that if they would only release him for an hour so that he could take the lives of certain witnesses who had testified against him, he would willingly be hanged immediately after.

Mr Gladstone, the prime minister of England, may justly be called 'The Man of December." He was born on the 29th of that month sixty years ago, and every important step in his upward career, from his carrying off the highest honors of Oxford, to the attainment of his present position has taken place in this month.

The general superintendent of the Freedmen's Bureau reports that the colored population of upper South Carolina is in a thriving condition, with better houses, clothing and family comforts from year to year. The state appropriated $20000 last year to buy land for homesteads for the Freedmen, and upwards of 40,000 acres of this land have been sold to them.

The blanched blondes of burlesque have been bound over to keep the peace in moral Chicago and two of them have had to pay one hundred dollars each for their pleasant little pastime of horsewhipping a decrepid old man.

Time is a bell; never pass a day without striking it.

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WEYMOUTH SABBATH SCHOOL UNION. Brief allusion was made last week to the meeting of this Society at N. Weymouth, and as a general interest has been manifested in the address of Rev. Mr. Allen on that occasion, we give it in full, by request.

THE STUDY OF THE BIBLE AS A WHOLE.

At a recent lecture in Horticultural Hall, the Rev. O. B. Frothingham, speaking of the value of Theological studies, said the presence or absence of a Greek accent in the manuscript made a certain word to signify on the one hand, "*who*," on the other, "*God*". The microscopes were brought to bear on the manuscripts to see if the little dot might not be there. Thus the whole question of Christ's divinity comes to depend on the presence of an infinitesimal microscopic speck of ink." Without doubt the Rev'd. gentleman's rhetoric was effective, the audience were entertained, and his object was accomplished: we shall make no attempt to expose his pitiful ignorance, designed or not, with reference to the original manuscripts; neither shall we endeavor to prove that there never has been such a student as he describes; but we use his remark as an index of the way in which much of Orthodox study of the Scriptures impresses others. And, moreover, although it is a caricature monstrous and distorted, it still points out an error that it is of the greatest importance for us to guard against. The error is this, that, in our study of the scriptures we limit ourselves to one part or portion and neglect the mutual relations of the whole. The usual advice given, both to teachers and scholars, is that it is better, by far, to take one single passage of scripture and dwell upon that until it is exhausted of its meaning, than to gain a more superficial knowledge of long chapters or books of the sacred writers. The idea is, that the study of the Bible should be minute, critical, contracted, rather than general and comprehensive; that hard passages should be held in the focus of mental illumination, until they melt and reveal their meaning; that doctrines are to be established wholly by "proof texts;" that real study means, only, a close, near-sighted view of that directly before the face. To this method of Biblical study we do not object; it is necessary,—it is profitable; the scriptures will warrant it; the more powerful the microscope that examines them the better. But if this be the only method recommended and pursued, then we do object to it. The evils which have resulted from its exclusive use are not slight. The remark, so often made, that "from the Bible you can prove anything," is the natural offspring of this one sided method of study. The Romish church, that rests its foundations on the doubtful interpretation of an uncertain pun on the word Peter, is one evidence of this evil. That species of religion that calls itself christian without a Christ, that finds in the Bible a Savior no more capable of forgiving sins than a priest, is another evidence of it. This method has also broken up the christian church into sects, that disregarding the more vitally important truths which should unite them together, scatter their efforts in all directions.

What we advocate is perhaps not less of critical study, but more of that study which views the Bible as a whole: which does not confine the attention to one single point or passage, but which lifts up its eyes at times to note the relations of the immediate portion to all the rest. For the great evil against which we struggle to day is not so much that men misunderstand or misconstrue the scriptures, but that they do not believe them to be true. Our young men graduate from our sabbath schools infidels. It ought not to be so. The evidence in the Bible itself, apart from any outward proof, is sufficient to convince any one with overwhelming proofs that its originator is Divine. But it is only when known as a whole that this evidence is seen in its full force. The unity of the scriptures is the great proof of their divine origin. But in what does this unity consist? Does it arise from the uniformity of its literary excellence? Certainly not for some of its books are wanting in this. Does it not consist in the agreement of its moral precepts? We think not, for could we not find books agreeing almost as nearly in morals in other nations? But what is this unity? It is simply this, that the Bible is a HISTORY OF MAN'S REDEMPTION THROUGH A DIVINE SAVIOR. This is the thought, that like a silken thread running from beginning to end, strings together pearls of divine truth. When once the end of all scripture is seen to culminate in the cross of Christ, THEN his divine character and mission are seen not to be dependent on any "dot" or word, or passage, but to be like the ocean, or the air in which all other things live. Probably all will admit this to be the central subject, and yet many have accustomed themselves to looking so intently at each portion of the sacred writings, by itself, that practically they have lost sight of it. But if we study the scriptures with this grand thought in our mind, they will be to us almost as a new revelation. Dr. Goodell, late missionary to Turkey, says that "in translating the Old Testament he was often so struck with references to the Gospel that he would lay down the book and weep. He found Christ in all parts of the Old Testament, and the revelation was wonderful and overpowering to him."

The same Being who has given the sacred scriptures to us is also the author of nature. But the man who should study nature in the distorted way in which we study the scriptures never could become a naturalist. It is said that "for a man to become proficient in any one science he must know all sciences." And so to understand any one part of revelation, we must have a general knowledge of the whole. The imperfections of the Bible are most frequently urged upon us as a reason for rejecting it altogether. But are not its imperfections always due to the fact that we do not see the relations of one part to another? In nature, as in the Bible, the most prominent thing that meets us is its imperfections.

To illustrate, suppose one was created in the midst of the desert of Sahara. You stand there, on every side nothing but sand stretching in a limitless circle around you; a scorching sun above your head, a burning plain beneath your feet; each movement of the wind a furnace blast, each breath of air a choking draught of the desert dust; no food, no water for your parched lips, stillness of death on every side. Who could there be, standing in such a place, that would recognize in any manner the Divine wisdom or benevolence. For you see here no signs of any life or love to man or beast. Would you not say "there is no good God in heaven?" But you go to the groves of Italy, the air is fragrant with the rich odor of orange blossoms; the trees are bending beneath the load of their golden spheres, ripening in luscious flavor for your taste; the vines are filled with clustered grapes, that blush with ruby light to own the richness of their juices. Garden and field are only too profusely filled with every beautiful flower and tempting fruit. But you question the orange blossom for its fragrance, and it tells you of a soft south wind that married to its essential oils breathes its perfume for you. You ask the luscious orange whence its unrivaled flavor came, and it gives answer, that for long months it has been bathed in air heated on a desert plain; that a breeze from Africa has brought to it that delicious nectar, and the grapes again confess, that from that desert sand waste comes all their ruby light; that in their juices the desert heat has cooled its burning breath until they are aglow with the richness of the flavor that they have received. And thus, by comparing the orange grove and the vintage with the desert, and perceiving that without the furnace blast of the one the other would die, you see the meaning of that wilderness waste. And thus it is in the Bible records, that from the desolate and dreary waste of savage wars and idolatries, there comes contrasts and causes that make the meaning of the cross plain; that by receiving its reflected light, appear as the design of one single author.

No one, born in the Arctic regions, where eternal snow and ice mantle every hill and plain, could understand from nature how God is ever good and wise. But when in the sickness of fever under the burning sun of a summer day, we catch one breath of air that has been cooled against those ice mountains of the north, we realize that nothing has been made in vain. Every thing in nature is imperfect when viewed alone. We speak of the beauty of the rose; but who made the rose beautiful? was it God or man? You do not say that a single rose, a wild one in which the corona is not a single row of petals, is as perfectly beautiful as the full beauty of the double rose, but the single rose is all that the Creator has made. It is only by the invention of man that the rose is ever double. I thought that the Night Blooming Cereus could not be outrivaled in beauty, but afterward I saw a hybrid blown, the pistil of which was fourteen inches in length, formed by the florist from mingling this with another species, I perceived that in unassisted nature perfect beauty cannot be found. Upon every thing imperfection is written; on every leaf that stirs in the forest; in every flower and fruit and bird and beast imperfection is as plainly stamped as though it had been burnt upon it with an iron die. That is, each thing is imperfect when taken alone. But who dares impeach the Creator with want of wisdom when looking at creation as a whole. To the careless every thing may seem to be wanting in symmetry and beauty, but when we consider God's far reaching plan, how all things are arranged in mutual relations; that what is wanting in one creation another fills up, and all at last minister to the best good of man, not merely physically and mentally, but to the whole man, physically, mentally and spiritually, we can only stand in silent astonishment before the wisdom and goodness that has formed this universe. Reasoning, then, as we are obliged to from nature to revelation, we say that revelation, if it be from God, and the argument of analogy in any degree holds, we say that revelation must at first sight be imperfect. Does the infidel say, "I will not accept a revelation from God which has any imperfections?" then we say that this is one very special reason why it should be accepted, because it is imperfect. If it were not, then how could we believe that the God of Nature and the God of Revelation were the same? But although we hold, and must hold that any part of revelation is by itself incomplete and imperfect, yet as a whole it is not not so; when viewed as related to the entire plan, it is complete. All truth is in a certain sense a sphere, and it is impossible to see the whole of it at one glance. And so it is of the Bible; you journey for instance through the desolation of Chronicles; some wise man who "thinks" asks you, do you consider that desert of names and common incidents inspired?" How can you answer yes, if you do not know the reason why it has been written? The histories of miraculous events, as given in the Old Testament are, standing alone, no more worthy of thought and study, it may be, than other wondrous events; but when it is seen that they prepare the way for the grand miracle of the resurrection, then their wonderful strangeness is explained. 'Tis often said that the Old Testament is mere biography and history.' Apart from its relation to the redemption of sinners by Christ, is it anything more? But when the Jehovah who called the world from chaos, who led forth Abraham, who talked with Moses on the mount, who battered down the walls of Jericho, who divided the waters of the sea, and who was a wall of fire about the encampment of his peculiar people; when it is seen that he is the same One who bowed his head and said, "It is finished;" those histories and biographies have a meaning stamping them as divine. This grand object of the scriptures that they relate to the redemption of man by Christ lifts them out of the ordinary list of writings, and at once places them in a position peculiar and unique; for they treat of a subject such as no other writings approach or hint at. No other books make the slightest claim to any such idea as this.

Now if this be the case, as doubtless all will admit, is it not an error to suppose that one verse, or chapter can give that which belongs to the whole? would we not suppose that the thought of the whole would be more important than the individual precepts? The scriptures are like a magnificent temple built on a divine plan. Suppose we only examine this cornice stone or that key stone in the temple, do we see in either of them the real genius of the architect? no more do we, in special individual passages, see the comprehensive meaning of the whole Bible. You may find it necessary to analyze the mystery of a flower by the microscope, but you never could see the sublime heights of the Andes or catch the inspiration of the resistless torrent of Niagara in such a contracted field of vision. No more can you see the divine plan of the scriptures by the method that brings each passage up within the reach of your eye last, while you forget the whole. What would you think of a critic who should judge of the beauty of an Oratorio, by some single melodious combination of notes struck at one time. And thus, in the grand anthem of the Messiah, that rolls its resistless flood of divine melody, from beginning to end of the sacred scriptures, we cannot find the grand ideal in its full perfection except when we view it as a whole.

Therefore what I propose is perhaps not less of that study which is critical and exact, but more of that comprehensive reading and study and teaching that shall so show redemption by Christ to be the one absorbing, overwhelming thought of scripture, that every minor teaching over which men wrangle shall be flooded in its glory as is the light of the stars by the rising sun.

NORTH WEYMOUTH.

An audience of respectable numbers assembled at Rev. J. Emery's church on Tuesday evening last, an entertainment being given in aid of the Boston North End Mission. Notwithstanding the unfavorable state of the weather and travelling, the amount taken at the door was about $15. The audience was well entertained and passed the intervals between the pieces in social intercourse, while some of the devotees of Momus manifested a little uneasiness by loud talking, clapping, etc., in the gallery, no doubt fearing the advent of a heavy storm, and wishing to hurry up the entertainment. It is reported that some of the leading members of the Society absented themselves from the performance, feeling that the "world had invaded the sanctuary and carried the citadel by storm;" and yet they feel it no harm to read the works of the works of the authors represented in the beautiful tableaus, which conveyed to the minds of those present all the finer religious emotions, producing a perfect sympathy with the ideas inculcated.

The following tableaus were produced with fine effect.

The Picture Gallery: The Four Seasons; The Present, Past and Future. Faith at the Foot of the Cross, by Miss Abbie Burrell, of North Weymouth, deserves especial commendation. The Gypsey Camp and song, was given with a decidedly life-like expression. 'Now I lay me down to sleep,' the mother by Miss Ellen White, angels by Misses Briggs and White, was considered in point of excellence and beauty of execution, the crowning piece of the whole exhibition. The Haymakers was a pretty pastoral scene. In the intervals duets and songs were given under the lead of Mr. Frank Nash, with a large choir of young gentlemen and ladies from Weymouth Landing. The tableaux management was under the direction of Mr. H. O. Nash, who acquitted himself creditably and Mrs. L. Richardson displayed excellent taste in the effects produced, the dresses, positions, &c., being prepared under her charge. Misses Susan Porter and Alice Baker, in the duet, "Hymn to the Madonna," received general commendation.

We learn that the entertainment will probably be given at Weymouth Landing soon, in aid of the same object.

B. W.

SOUTH WEYMOUTH.

MR. EDITOR:—Feb. 19, an invitation was extended me by Mr. A. Prescott Nash to a social party given by him, at the dedication of his new and commodious building. The invitations, outside of the village, were confined mostly to manufacturers who have employed him in his branch of business, and as many friends were brought together from a large circle, the occasion was one of a most social character, being enlivened with dancing, singing, &c. About 11 P. M. the company was escorted to the large dining hall, where (with the exception of some nice turkeys that took the wrong train and did not arrive in season,) the tables were loaded to their utmost capacity, pastry and fruits being particularly prominent, with some of the best coffee ever concocted. The party numbered about 100.

The last night of the Catholic Fair was a perfect success. Let any denomination enter in with the determination that they do and they can carry their point. I could not help noticing the pastry that was brought there, some bringing eight or ten pies, and all other kinds in the same proportion. I took particular pains to examine it, and concluded it could not be worth less than eight hundred dollars. I have seen many Fairs in this town when a lady would bring a little pie in a saucer and bring seven or eight to eat it, and take a large cake from the table to carry home to their uncle or aunt, and that is the reason our fairs result unprofitably.

FUNERAL.—Last week the Old Colony Commandery were summoned to attend and take charge of the funeral of one of their most beloved brothers, Mr. Cyrus Morton, Jr., of Randolph, which took place Feb 23. Mr Morton was a man without any enemies, and will be greatly missed as a citizen and especially by the Orders with which he was connected. The procession comprised a large number of the citizens of Randolph, the Knight Templars, in full ranks, the Blue Lodge, Temperance and Odd Fellow organizations, Sabbath Schools, &c. After the services the remains were taken to his father's residence, in Halifax, where funeral services took place the next day, and by particular request a good number of the Sir Knights attended and took charge of the services there. The commandery was invited to the Masonic Hall in Randolph, and partook of the hospitalities of the fraternity in that place. Commander Z. L. Bicknell made ample arrangements for a collation to the Knights in the Halifax town hall.

PERO.

HORSE THEFT.—Last Monday evening, a son of Mr. Albion Hall, of Weymouth Landing, visited the dancing school at South Weymouth, and left the team standing under cover near by. After the school was ended, he went for his team, but found it had vanished. It appears that the team was taken by some person from Abington, as the horse was driven toward West Abington, and then turned adrift. The horse came back to South Weymouth, and turning in at the depot, followed the railroad track for a short distance, until he reached the culvert, where he was found next morning about 5 o'clock by workmen in the employ of Mr. Edward Clark, the latter gentleman taking charge of him and restoring him to the owner.

NORFOLK COUNTY RECORD.

An ice company has been formed at Hyde Park, and buildings are being erected to house the crop, which is taken from Sprague's Pond.

The third track of the Providence Railroad from Readville to Boston is being laid, to be ready by the 17th of June.

Rev. Mr. Brown, of the Canton Baptist church has resigned his charge.

The new town of Norfolk, which has been incorporated by act of the Legislature, is taken from the towns of Wrentham, Franklin, Medway and Walpole.

The students of Dean Academy, in Franklin, celebrated the 87th anniversary of the birthday of Dr. Dean, founder of the Academy, on Friday, the 18th ult.

A Unitarian Society has been organized in Randolph, Rev. Frederic Hinckley officiating. A course of lectures will be given to sustain the meetings.

The annexation of Dorchester to Boston requires a change in place of Probate Courts, and the following bill has been presented in the Legislature:

SECT. 1. The sessions of the probate court, in the county of Norfolk, shall be held at Dedham on the first and fifth Wednesdays; at Hyde Park on the second Wednesday; at Quincy on the third Wednesday; and at Walpole on the fourth Wednesday of each and every month except August, instead of at the places now required by law.

SECT. 2. Notwithstanding the provisions of section first of this act, a probate court shall be held at Dedham on the first Tuesday of April in the year eighteen hundred and seventy.

Cyrus Morton, Jr., a well-known merchant of Randolph, died last week. He was a member of Old Colony Encampment K. T., and other Masonic orders, and also an Odd Fellow. The funeral was attended by these bodies, the Knights being accompanied by Wales' Band of Abington. The remains were buried in Halifax, Mass.

EAST WEYMOUTH.—The Methodist Episcopal Society, who were unfortunately deprived of a place for religious worship by the fire last week, have made arrangements to continue their Sabbath services in the large hall in the rear of the factory of Messrs. Canterbury & Son, which is being fitted up for the purpose.

The church met last Monday evening to consider arrangements for a new meeting-house, and strenuous efforts are being made for a free-pewed house. A committee was chosen to solicit subscriptions, and a good amount has already been obtained, beside a large part of the insurance on the former church, which will be about 60 per cent of the original cost. The subscription paper will be circulated some ten days longer, when another meeting will be called to decide on the method of rebuilding. It is probable the location of the new church will be on the lot next to Mr. Washburn's residence on Broad street. Rev. Mr. Waldron's society have kindly invited their Methodist brethren to hold their meetings in their house, which offer has been accepted until Mr. Canterbury's hall is put in a suitable condition, which will occupy about two weeks, when the society will occupy it during the spring and summer.

The firm of N. Canterbury & Son has been dissolved, and we learn that the business will be continued by Mr. C. H. Pratt, long connected with that house.

SUPREME JUDICIAL COURT.—The February term of the Supreme Judicial Court commenced its session in Dedham on Tuesday, the 15th inst. Prayer was offered by Rev. S. B. Babcock, of that town, after which the Juries were empanneled as follows:—

FIRST JURY.

John French, Stoughton, *Foreman*; George W. Arnold, Braintree; John B. Badger, Milton; Alden Bartlett, West Roxbury; Amasa Beals, Canton; John A. Bullard, Medway; Joseph T. Chandler, Brookline; Amos Churchill, Quincy; Emory B. Cook, Bellingham; James B. Dana, Brookline; Ozias D. Daniels, Randolph; William Field, Quincy.

SECOND JURY.

James G. Harshorn, Walpole, *Foreman*; Joshua L. Grant, Wrentham; Besture B. Haskell, Hyde Park; Spencer P. Hodges, Foxborough; Jonathan R. Holbrook, Stoughton; Elbridge G. Holmes Canton; Geo. W. Kingsbury, Medfield; Willard H. Kingsbury, Needham; Benjamin F. Locke, Weymouth; Benjamin S. Leonard, Sharon; Benjamin L. Morrison, Braintree; Jessie Morse, Dedham.

SUPERNUMERARIES.

A. Hunt, Weymouth; John Niles, Randolph; George Scott, Dover; Morgan B. Stetson, Cohasset; Albert Thompson, West Roxbury; John E. Weatherbee, Dedham, Nehemiah Williams, Franklin.

The docket was then called, and there being no cases ready for trial, the Court adjourned to Wednesday morning, when the case of Ira L. Beaton and wife vs. T. T. Ordway and others, was taken up. Mrs. Beaton was charged with purloining a feather in the defendants' store, where she had bought millinery for her daughter, who had a store at Hyde Park.

The amount of damages claimed upon the three charges of slander, assault and false imprisonment was $10,000, and the Jury, after two hours' deliberation, returned a verdict of $35.25 for the plaintiff on the charge of false imprisonment.

Waldo Colburn for the plaintiff; B. W. Harris and Tucker for the defendants.

The case occupied all of Wednesday and Thursday, and at its close the juries were excused until Wednesday of this week, when there being no cases ready for trial, both juries were excused till further notice, the understanding being that no session of the Court will be held before the fourth Monday of May next.

Motions for Divorce were heard by the Court on Friday and Saturday, the 18th and 19th, and on Friday and Saturday, the 25th and 26th. [Dedham Gazette.

THE CATHOLIC FAIR last week, in aid of the erection of churches in Weymouth, was very successful, pecuniarily, over $5000 being netted. The ball on Friday night yielded about $700. The weather was very favorable through the week, and consequently the hall was crowded every night, many coming from other towns. The evening entertainments consisted of addresses, singing, dramatic performance, etc. The hall was elaborately decorated by a gentleman from the city, with flags and streamers artistically arranged.

PRAISE MEETING.—The Baptist church at Weymouth Landing was crowded last Thursday evening, by an audience assembled to take part in a praise meeting conducted by Prof. Tourjee. The interest was as great as on the occasion of his first visit, and a desire is expressed that he would make frequent visits to the place, to awaken a spirit which will revolutionize the service of song.

EAST BRAINTREE.—The increasing business at the Monatiquot mill has compelled the proprietor, Mr. Henry Gardner, to enlarge his facilities for storage of lumber, and preparations are being made to construct a wharf of ample dimensions on the river bank below the mill. The enterprising proprietor is a live and energetic business man, and his public spirit and generous outlay to accommodate the wants of the community in his line of trade are meeting with abundant success.

FINE HORSES.—Mr. J. Wilkins, of the East Braintree Horse Mart, has returned from Virginia, bringing with him twenty-one of the finest horses he has ever purchased, which can be seen at his stable. The horses are suitable for all purposes, and those in want should give him a call immediately.

REFUTATION.—An article published last week signed "Observer," referring to a doorkeeper at a recent fair, was, we are authorized to say, an unfounded and unjust imputation on the character of the gentleman referred to, who states that while, in company with another person, he was acting as doorkeeper, three boys passed in while ten or twelve others were buying tickets, and being informed of the fact, he went to the boys and requested their admission fee; two of them paid, and the other gave what money he had. No other conversation passed between them, and the implied assertion that the gentleman owed the boy's father is declared to be a falsehood.

CARD.—The thanks of Union Engine Company are tendered to Mr. Thomas F. Burrell, for the gratuitous use of his horse in drawing their engine from the recent fire at East Weymouth.

By vote of the Co.
O. HOUGHTON, Clerk.

WEYMOUTH, March 2, 1870.

MR. EDITOR:—I noticed in last week's Gazette an article headed "Court Record," in which I desire to make a few corrections, so that the public may not labor under a wrong impression in regard to the affair between F. H. Cowing, Patrick Tracy and Cornelius Kiley. The article states that the defendants refused to pay their fare on the train in which Mr. Cowing was conductor, that they became considerably excited and nursed their bitterness until the time of the assault. That statement is false; Mr. Kiley never had any trouble with Mr. Cowing on the train, neither has Kiley been on the train with Tracy. Cowing and Tracy had some words about a ticket last December. Tracy never refused to pay his fare on the train, but on the contrary offered Cowing money to pay his fare, as he could not find his ticket, but found it next morning and returned it to Mr. Cowing; and as for Kiley, how could he arouse his bitterness towards Mr. Cowing, a man he never had any trouble with. Mr. Tracy did not desire any trouble with Mr. Cowing, as Mr. Cowing himself stated at the time of the trial, and as regards the brutal assault, that was all on his side as future events will show.

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The annual meeting of the North Weymouth cemetery association, will be held in the chapel of Rev. Mr. Emery's church, on Tuesday evening, March 8, at 7 1-2 o'clock.

LIFE INSURANCE.—The readers of the Gazette will find in another column an advertisement of the "Empire Mutual" of which Gen'l B. F. Pratt is agent.

Of this company, one of our daily papers says—"The Empire Mutual of New York, with a branch in Boston, a company of sufficiently recent origin, to embrace all the improvements of the past twenty five years experience, have a method by which the assured is made certain of as good interest as he would receive from a savings bank, while he is insured at the same time, making his insurance virtually a gift."

A superior stock of stationery and goods of that character may be found at the store of D. B. Brooks & Brother, No. 51 Washington street. This is also the headquarters for the sale of that excellent article, the "Congress Record Ink, which is rapidly winning its way to public favor, as it possesses qualities found in no other ink.

NOTICE.—The School Committee are requested to meet at the Town Hall on Monday next, at 3 P. M.

Per order
A. A. ELLSWORTH, Clerk.

WEYMOUTH ROADS.—It is evident that the town, at the last March meeting, intended to take the working of the roads out of the hands of the Selectmen. The meeting fully expressed the wish of the people for a Superintendent of Roads, and with this vote the Selectmen pretend to comply, by selecting one of their number, thus carrying out the vote to the letter, but not in the spirit thereof. We had the best roads in town when we had five Road Commissioners, and if the town would again choose a board and make them Overseers of Poor, we should have better roads for less money. With the appropriation in their hands and the help of men and teams from the almshouse, allowing the keeper to take care of the farm, the expenses of both house and roads would be much reduced, and the former be made almost a self-sustaining institution.

TEMPERANCE MEETING.—A meeting will be held in Lincoln Hall, Weymouth Landing, next Monday evening, at 7 1-2 o'clock, to form an open temperance organization, in accordance with the resolution offered at the meeting of the E. Norfolk Union. Rev. S. H. Hayes, of South Weymouth, will deliver an address. Pastors of churches are requested to give notice from their pulpits.

MERGED.—The Hyde Park Journal has been merged with the Dedham Gazette, and under a new title, the Norfolk County Gazette, the interests of the two towns will be represented.

ACCIDENT.—A son of Mr. Nathan D. Canterbury, of East Weymouth, while playing with other boys in the street on Thursday of last week, was run over by a carriage containing four persons, and seriously injured, the carriage passing over his back. No blame was attached to the persons in the carriage.

LYCEUM.—The advertisement of Mr. Emerson's lecture in another column will be received with pleasure by the public, as his ability to produce a pleasing and instructive lecture is unquestioned. We bespeak for him a crowded house.

The next lecture of the course will be given by E. C. Bumpus, Esq.

GOOD HEALTH for March has an excellent list of contents pertinent to its position as a means of imparting medical knowledge to the people. Alexander Moore, publisher, Boston.

Petitions have been poured into the Legislature for the incorporation of the Grand Lodge of Knights of St. Crispin, and the request will probably be granted.

Mr. J. Henry Willis, of the late firm of Willis & Worster, Weymouth, has removed to Bridgeport, Ct., where he will embark in the grocery and provision business.

The entertainment of the children of Trinity Parish was repeated at Lincoln Hall, Weymouth, last Monday evening, with most gratifying success.

A distressing cough causes the friends of the sufferer almost as much pain as the sufferer himself, and should receive immediate attention. *Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry* speedily cures coughs, colds, influenza, sore throat, &c. It will always relieve consumption, and in many well attested cases it has effected a perfect cure.

There are probably a hundred or more persons in this and neighboring towns, who daily suffer from the distressing effects of kidney troubles, who do not know that *Johnson's Anodyne Liniment* is almost a certain cure. In severe cases, great relief may be obtained, if not a perfect cure.

We noticed that the Agricultural papers all over the country recommend the use of *Sheridan's Cavalry Condition Powders*.—Exchange.

Farmers and others in this section have long known and appreciated the advantage of these powders over all others.

Song of the Traveller.

Air—"Sarah's Young man."

A life on the wing and a home on the railway,
For twenty long years I have traveled by steam;
I've roamed over the mountain, by streamlet and fountain,
But all seems now like a beautiful dream.
From the east to the west, from the north to the south,
I've wandered where many a friend I have met;
But the beauty and fashion, the styles that are dashing,
Which I saw when in Boston, I ne'er shall forget
While through Boston travelling, I saw some fine clothing;
I wanted an overcoat, pants and good vest;
Of GEO. RICHARDS I bought, and I always have thought,
That of all clothing dealers his goods were the best.
His fur beaver overcoats, best that you ever bought,
Are already marked below the first cost.
Friends, believe what I say, call on RICHARDS to-day,
TWENTY-FIVE in Dock Square, and let no time be lost.

Marriages and Deaths.

MARRIED,

In Dorchester, Feb. 23, by Rev. J. D. Pierce of North Attleboro, Mr. Reuben E. Carpenter to Miss Eunice L. Fisher.

DIED,

In South Weymouth, Feb. 14th, Mrs. Sarah Jordan, aged 80 yrs. 8 mos. 4 days.

Feb. 18, Calvin F. White, aged 26 yrs. 1 mo. 1 day.

In East Weymouth, Feb. 14, Simon F., son of Patrick and Ann Monks, aged 17 yrs. 10 mo. 21 days.

In Weymouth, Feb. 19, Albert Hunt, aged 72 yrs. 11 mos. 22 days.

Feb. 21, Hugh Paires, child of Benoni and Catherine Currin, aged 11 days.

Business Notices.

"Not a Loud Word"

Had Mrs. Augustus Weston, of Duxbury, Mass., spoken, for *three months*. Mr. Weston says:—"My wife had doctors, and tried various kinds of medicine, all to no effect. I bought a bottle of Lydiard's Lung Compound, for which they laughed at me, and in *less than three days*, her voice was fully restored."

For Coughs, Colds, Whooping Cough, Sore Throat, Hoarseness, Bronchitis, and all pulmonary affections, it is a great remedy; fail not to test it.

Sold by F. Ambler, H. Loud, and L. T. Brown Weymouth. 30 43

NATURE'S GIFTS
Scientifically Developed.

As mankind, from indiscretion or other causes, has been doomed to suffer from disease, so also has a remedy for diseases been provided. Our hills and valleys abound with roots and herbs, which if scientifically prepared and compounded, will restore health and vigor to the invalid. To find such a remedy we should seek one that has stood the test of age.

Hoofland's German Bitters

was placed before the public thirty years ago, with all the prejudice of so called "patent medicine" operating against it; but gradually its virtues became known, and now, to-day, it stands at the head of all preparations of its class, with the indorsement of eminent judges, lawyers, clergymen and physicians.

Read the following symptoms, and if you find that your system is affected by any of them, you may rest assured that disease has commenced its attack on the most important organs of your body and unless soon checked by the use of powerful remedies, a miserable life soon terminating in death will be the result:

Constipation, Flatulence, Inward Piles, Fullness of blood to the Head, Acidity of the Stomach, Nausea, Heartburn, Disgust for food, Fulness of weight in the Stomach, Sour Eructations, Sinking or Fluttering at the pit of the Stomach, Swimming of the head, Hurried or Difficult Breathing, Fluttering at the Heart, Choking or Suffocation Sensations when in a Lying Posture, Dimness of Vision, Dots or Webs before the Sight, Dull Pain in the Head, Deficiency of Perspiration, Yellowness of the Skin and Eyes, Pain in the Side, Back, Chest, Limbs, etc., Sudden Flushes of Heat, Burning in the Flesh, Constant Imaginings of Evil and Great Depression of Spirits. All these indicate diseases of the Liver or Digestive organs combined with impure blood.

HOOFLAND'S
GERMAN BITTERS

Is entirely vegetable, and contains no liquor. It is a compound of Fluid Extracts. The Roots, Herbs and Barks from which these extracts are made are gathered in Germany; all the medicinal virtues are extracted from them by a scientific chemist. These extracts are then forwarded to this country to be used expressly for the manufacture of this Bitters. There is no alcoholic substance of any kind used in compounding the Bitters, hence it is free from all the objections incident to the use of a liquor preparation.

Hoofland's German Tonic

Is a combination of all the ingredients of the Bitters, with pure Santa Cruz Rum, Orange, etc. It is used for the same diseases as the Bitters, in cases where some pure Alcoholic Stimulant is required.

TESTIMONY

Like the following was never before offered in behalf of any medicinal preparation.

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Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania, writes:
PHILADELPHIA, March 16, 1869.
I find "Hoofland's German Bitters" is a good tonic, useful in diseases of the digestive organs, and of great benefit in cases of debility, and want of nervous action in the system. Yours truly,
GEO. W. WOODWARD.

HON. JAMES THOMPSON,
Judge of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania.
PHILADELPHIA, April 28, 1866
I consider Hoofland's German Bitters a valuable medicine in case of attacks of Indigestion or Dyspepsia. I can certify this from my experience of it. Yours, with respect,
JAMES THOMPSON.

HON. GEN. SHARSWOOD,
Justice of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania.
PHILADELPHIA, June 1, 1868.
I have found by experience that Hoofland's German Bitters is a very good tonic, relieving dyspeptic symptoms almost immediately.
GEO. SHARSWOOD.

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The Three Remedies, "SCHENCK'S PULMONIC SYRUP," for the cure of Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis and every form of Consumption. The peculiar action of this medicine ripens the ulcers in the lungs, promotes the discharge of the corrupt matter by expectoration, purifies the blood, and thus cures Consumption, when every other remedy fails.

"SCHENCK'S SEA-WEED TONIC," for the cure of Dyspepsia or Indigestion, and all diseases arising from debility. This tonic invigorates the digestive organs, supplies the place of the gastric juice when that is deficient, and then enables the patient to digest the most nutritious food. It is a sovereign remedy for all cases of indigestion.

"SCHENCK'S MANDRAKE PILLS," one of the most valuable medicines ever discovered, being a vegetable substitute for calomel, and having all the useful properties ascribed to that mineral, without producing any of its injurious effects.

To these three medicines Dr. J. H. Schenck, of Philadelphia, owes his unrivalled success in the treatment of Pulmonic Consumption. The Pulmonic Syrup ripens the morbid matter, discharges it, and purifies the blood. The Mandrake Pills act upon the liver, removes all obstructions therefrom, give the organ a healthy tone, and cure Liver Complaint, which is one of the most prominent causes of Consumption. The Seaweed Tonic invigorates the powers of the stomach, and by strengthening the digestion and bringing it to a normal and healthy condition improves the quality of the blood, by which means the formation of ulcers or tubercles in the lungs becomes impossible. The combined action of these medicines, as thus explained, will cure every case of Consumption, if the remedies are used in time, and the use of them is persevered in sufficiently to bring the case to a favorable termination.

Dr. Schenck's Almanac, containing a full treatise on the various forms of disease, his mode of treatment, and general directions how to use his medicine, can be had gratis or sent by mail by addressing his Principal Office, No. 15 North Sixth street, Philadelphia, Pa.

Price of the Pulmonic Syrup and Seaweed Tonic each $1.50 per bottle, or $7.50 a half dozen. Mandrake Pills 25 cents a box.

For sale by all druggists and dealers.

Lydiard's Invigorator

Gives strength, vigor, and new life to the whole system. Mrs. J. H. Kelley, of No. Bridgewater, says, "I must have some of Lydiard's Invigorator at once. I cannot do without it." All praise, and say it far excels other like articles. Sold in Weymouth at the drug stores. 22 45

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LYCEUM.

W. R. EMERSON, ESQ.

Will Lecture in the Course at Trinity Church, Weymouth,

This (FRIDAY) Evening, March 4, 1870.

Lecture to commence at 7½ o'clock.

SUBJECT, Old and New Views of National Character.

If very stormy the Lecture will be postponed to next Monday evening.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

{ L. S. } TO THOMAS GRIFFIN, of Braintree, in the County of Norfolk, and to any and all other persons claiming any interest in about one gallon of whiskey, in three bottles, which, by virtue of a warrant issued by me, have been seized at the dwelling-house of said Griffin, in said Braintree, on the third day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy, the value of which liquors, with the vessels containing them, does not, in my opinion, exceed twenty dollars.

You are hereby required to appear before me at my office, in Weymouth, in said County of Norfolk, at 3 o'clock P. M., on the twenty-first day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy, to answer to the complaint against said liquors and the vessels containing them, and for trial, and to show cause, if any you have, why said liquors and the vessels containing them should not be forfeited for being kept for sale by said Thomas Griffin, in violation of the laws of this Commonwealth.

Witness my hand and seal, at said Weymouth, this third day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy.

EVERETT C. BUMPUS, Trial Justice.

A true copy. Attest:
ANDREW J. GAREY,
44 45 Deputy State Constable.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

{ L. S. } TO BRIDGET BOYLAN, of Weymouth, in the County of Norfolk, and to any and all other persons claiming any interest in about one gallon of whiskey, in one jug, which, by virtue of a warrant issued by me, have been seized at the dwelling-house of said Boylan, in said Weymouth, on the eighteenth day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy, the value of which liquors, with the vessels containing them, does not in my opinion, exceed twenty dollars.

You are hereby required to appear before me at my office, in Weymouth, in said County, at three o'clock P. M., on the twenty-first day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy, to answer to the complaint against said liquors and the vessels containing them, and for trial, and to show cause, if any you have, why said liquors and the vessels containing them should not be forfeited for being kept for sale by said Bridget Boylan, in violation of the laws of this Commonwealth.

Witness my hand and seal, at said Weymouth, this eighteenth day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy.

EVERETT C. BUMPUS, Trial Justice.

A true copy. Attest:
ANDREW J. GAREY,
44 45 Deputy State Constable.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

{ L. S. } TO JOSEPH SAUNDERSON, of Braintree, in the County of Norfolk, and to any and all other persons claiming any interest in about three gallons of whiskey, in two jugs, which by virtue of a warrant issued by me, have been seized at the dwelling-house of said Saunderson, in said Braintree, on the sixteenth day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy, the value of which liquors, with the vessels containing them, does not, in my opinion, exceed twenty dollars.

You are hereby required to appear before me, at my office in Weymouth, in said County, at three o'clock P. M., on the twenty-first day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy, to answer to the complaint against said liquors and the vessels containing them, and for trial, and to show cause, if any you have, why said liquors and the vessels containing them should not be forfeited for being kept for sale by said Saunderson, in violation of the laws of this Commonwealth.

Witness my hand and seal, at said Weymouth this sixteenth day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty nine.

EVERETT C. BUMPUS, Trial Justice.

A true copy. Attest:
ANDREW J. GAREY,
44 45 Deputy State Constable.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

THAT the subscriber has been duly appointed Administratrix of the estate of THOMAS A. KINGMAN, late of Weymouth, in the County of Norfolk, deceased, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

MARIA A. KINGMAN, Admx.
March 1, 1870. 44 46

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

THAT the subscribers have been duly appointed Administrators of the Estate of ELIJAH PIERCE, late of Weymouth, in the County of Norfolk, deceased, and have taken upon themselves that trust by giving bonds, as law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

E. C. PIERCE, } Administrators.
J. E. PIERCE, }
March 1, 1870. 44-46

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Dissolution of Copartnership.

THE Copartnership heretofore existing between the subscribers under the name of WILLIS & WORSTER, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

The business of the late firm will be settled by J. G. WORSTER & CO., who will continue the Grocery and Provision business at the old stand.

J. HENRY WILLIS,
J. G. WORSTER.
Weymouth, Feb 15, 1870. 4-11

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.
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NORFOLK SS.

BY the County Commissioners. At a meeting of said Commissioners held at Dedham, in and for said County, on the 14th day of February, A. D. 1870, by adjournment of the December meeting next preceding,

Upon the petition of Elnathan Bates and others, of Weymouth, in said County, representing that so much of Commercial street, so called, in said Weymouth, as lies between the dwelling-house of William Wilder and the store of Messrs Bicknell Brothers, ought to be widened and straightened, and praying for such alterations therein as may seem expedient; and as set forth in said petition (notice having been first duly given to all persons and corporations interested,) said Commissioners met at the office of said Elnathan Bates, in North Weymouth, on the twenty-sixth day of August, A. D. 1869, and viewed the route and premises, and heard all persons and corporations interested, and said case was thence continued and adjourned to the regular December meeting next ensuing, and thence to this meeting; and said Commissioners now adjudge that the public convenience and necessity require that said petition be granted.

On the said adjudication aforesaid, Ordered, that the County Commissioners will meet at the Office of Elnathan Bates, in North Weymouth in said County, on TUESDAY, the 5th day of April, A. D. 1870, at ten o'clock A. M., and thence proceed to view and locate the widenings, straightenings, and alterations in said street, and determine the questions of land damages arising therefrom, and make such order in relation to said adjudication as by law they may be authorized to do; and that an attested copy of said adjudication, with this order thereon, be served upon the Clerk of the Town of Weymouth, thirty days at least before the time appointed for said meeting, and also that a like copy be published three weeks successively in the Weymouth Weekly Gazette, a newspaper printed in said Weymouth, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before said day of meeting; and that like copies be posted up in two or more public places in said town of Weymouth, fourteen days at least before said day of meeting, that all persons and corporations interested may then and there appear and be heard if they see cause so to do.

By the County Commissioners.
ERASTUS WORTHINGTON, Clerk.
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North Weymouth, Feb. 7, 1870.

Mr. Editor:—The following lines are the result of a confused remembrance of the passage of the 12th Mass. Vols. through the City of New York, on the Regiment's return from the war. "Attention II."

There was often in camp, a great deal of talk
About being received by the "9th" in New York;
For the "Yorkers" had promised, ere leaving the field,
If the "12th" came their way, they would keep their "Eyes peeled."
They should greet us, and treat us, and use us first rate,
And if it were possible, "Lay us out straight."
Such a rash threat as this, might be termed an audacity;
But the fact of it was, they did'nt know our capacity.
Any old Commisary out in the army,
Would say, "a canteen full just makes them feel balmy;
At the last of the second, they are living in clover,
And a third would not cause them, I think, to run over."
As we passed up Broadway, with our banners all tattered,
Our clothing well worn, and with "Sacred Soil" spattered,
We thought that their promise was all a *de*-ception,
And wondered, is this what they call a *re*-ception?
But suddenly, music bursts on the air;
With a glance toward the Park, we recognize there
The band of the "9th;" and near them in line,
Veterans in beavers, Heroes dressed fine;
But their cheers, and the grasp of the hand told the story,
They were still the old "9th" in all its old glory.
"Fall in" is the word, we are soon on the march
Behind the black beavers, the "Biled shirts" and starch;
Who, taking possession, as if they had bought us,
Conduct us directly up to Headquarters.
A feast was prepared and spread on the table;
Every old "Vet" eat all he was able;
And to moisten the tongue, and wash down lunch,
There were two or three barrels of "Iligant punch."
To the drawing room then they pointed the route,
And here they attempted that "Laying us out,"
Squads of friends would start out, on pleasure intent
And return shortly after, their forms slightly bent;
Other squads, returning just before dark
Had been, so they said, up to Central Park;
But as each squad came in at the end of the "bout,"
The Yorkers I notice, were first to "Lay out."
For myself, I'll confess, if I was not "Fixed,"
Things certainly looked considerably mixed;
For when we came in (That is, me and my mate)
We asked, will the Colonel notice our gait?
"Stodd" pointed him out, I looked over his way
And I saw all of six Colonels, plain as the day;
I sat down on six sofas, and six of the band,
Brought me six mugs of punch, which he held in six hands.
On the march to the cars I was rather confused;
My musket, the head of my file closer bruised;
While my comrade in front said he'd give me a whack,
If the butt of it hit him again in the back.
Arrived at the depot, the street's in a blaze,
Roman candles were pointed all manner of ways;
They fairly bombarded us into the cars,
But the "12th" stood the seige like true sons of Mars.
The signal is given, the train makes a start,
Three cheers for the gallant old "9th" eve we part;
Cheers such as Yankees only can give,
And good will to the "9th" as long as we live.
The debt that we owe them we surely will pay,
If ever they chance to travel our way,
This is the promise that we have made
To all, who belonged to the "Best Brigade."

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The Husband's Duties.—The first duty of husbands is to sympathize with their wives in all their cares and labors. Men are apt to forget, in the perplexities and annoyances of business, that home cares are also annoying, and try the patience and the strength of their wives. They come home expecting sympathy and attention, but are too apt to have none to give. Frequently they are morose and peevish, and give their attention to the newspaper, or leave the house and seek the companionship of men at the club or the hotel, while their wives are left alone and sad, borne down with family cares, and longing for sympathy and affection. A single kindly word or look that tells his thought of her and her troubles, would lift half the weight of care from her heart. Secondly, husbands should make confidants of their wives, consulting them on their business plans and prospects, and especially on their troubles and embarrassments. A woman's intuition is often better than all his wisdom and shrewdness, and her ready sympathy and interest is a powerful aid to his efforts for their mutual welfare. Thirdly, men should show their love for their wives in constant attentions, in their manner of treating them and in the thousand and one trifling offices of affection which may be hardly noticeable, but which make all the difference between a life of sad and undefined longing, and a cheery, happy existence. Above all, men should beware of treating their wives with rudeness and incivility, as if they were the only persons not entitled to their consideration and respect. They should think of their sensitive feelings and their need of sympathy, and "never let the fire of love go out, or cease to show that the flame is burning with unabated fervor."—*Dr. Aikman.*

Quincy.—A correspondent of the Patriot alludes to the gift to the town, some 50 years ago, by John Adams, of revolutionary memory, of tracts of land, lying in the town, one of which contained the cellar of John Hancock's father's house, and smaller lots in Braintree, 160 acres in all, given to promote the happiness and instruction of posterity, the gift for this purpose also including the fragments of his library, about 3000 volumes.

Land and books have been waiting for now near fifty years to work out the intentions of their ancient master, and the Trustees have at last made the barren old pastures yield more than thirty thousand dollars in cash, and now they feel strong enough to embody another of the second President's ideas—"A Stone School House shall be erected," he says, "over the cellar which was under the house anciently built by the Reverend Mr. John Hancock, which house was afterwards purchased and inhabited by Col. Josiah Quincy, and by his son Josiah Quincy, Jr. The inhabitants of Quincy, by their Trustees, intend to rear these school and library rooms upon the spot so honorable for its traditional occupancy, where they propose to build a substantial house of stone with facings of brick, to combine on the one hand, a lofty school-room of ample size, and on the other a handsome book-room the two to be connected

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A miserly Scotch lord had picked up a small copper coin, and was observed to put it in his pocket by a beggar, who exclaimed, 'O gie't to me, my lord;' to which the quiet answer was, 'Na, na; fin' a fardin for yersel, puir body.'

A little four-year-old miss, hearing a gentleman addressed at her father's house as "Joseph," eyed him intently for a while, and then asked, "Was you the Mr. Joseph that was sold by his brethren?" "Yes," replied the gentleman, 'I have been sold a great many times, my dear.'

In a crowded car in New Orleans the other day, the passengers noted a couple who, from their manners were evidently lovers. 'You love me then?' the gentlemen said. 'How can I help it?' was the low voiced reply. 'But then, I've never seen your face. Day after day we have ridden in this car, and you have never lifted your vail. 'It might dispel the illusion.' 'Oh, no; believe me, it could never do that.' 'I am afraid.' 'I tell you I love you too passionately for anything to destroy my affection. Just then a breath of wind stirred the folds of a thick green vail, and lifted it. 'Mercy,' aspirated the youth, recoiling from the sight—'it's my mother!'

A boaster the other day vaunting his knowledge of the world, was asked by a wag at his elbow if he had ever been in Algebra.'—'Oh, yes,' said he 'I once passed it on the top of a stage-coach.'

It is dangerous to be highly spoken of in Cincinnati. A baby was left at a rich man's door, the other night, with a note saying: "Having heard you spoken very highly of, and also that you was extravagantly fond of babies, I have brought you this treasure."

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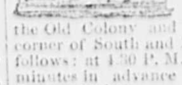

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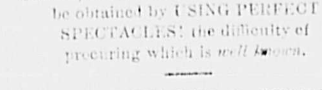

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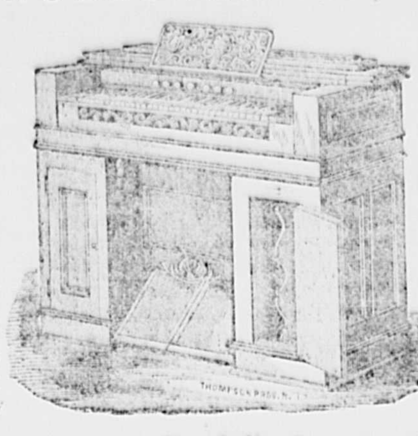

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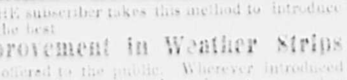

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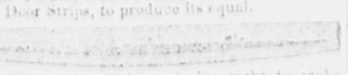

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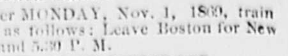

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Neponset, 7.45, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 11.00 A. M.; 12.00 M.; 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 3.30, 4.10, 4.45, 5.40, 6.15, 6.30, 9.30,* P. M.
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S. Braintree, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 11.00 A. M.; 12 M.; 2.00, 2.30, 3.30, 4.10, 4.30, 5.00, 5.40, 6.00, 6.30, 9.30, * P. M.
Randolph, 8.30 A. M.; 12.00 M.; 4.30, 5.40 P. M.
No. Stoughton, 12 M., 5.40 P. M.
Stoughton, 8.30 A. M.; 12.00 M.; 4.30, 5.40 PM
North Easton, 8.30 A. M.; 12.00 M.; 4.30, 5.40 P. M.
Easton and Raynham, 8.30 A. M.; 12 M.; 4.30 P. M.
Taunton, 8.30 A. M.; 12M.; 4.30, 5.30, P. M.
East Randolph and East Stoughton, 8.00, 11.00 A. M.; 3.30, 6.00 P. M.
North Bridgewater, 8.00, 11.00 A. M.; 3.30, 4.00, 6.00 P. M.
East & West Bridgewater, 8.00, 11.00 A. M.; 3.30, 6.00 P. M.
Bridgewater, 8.00, 9.00, 11.00 A. M.; 3.30, 4.00 5, 6 P. M.
Middleboro' 8.00 A. M.; 3.30, 4.00, P. M.
Fall River, (via Bridgewater) 8.00 A. M.; 4.00 P. M.
Fall River, (via Taunton) 8.30 A. M.; 12.00 M.; 4.30, 5.30, P. M.
Newport, 8.30 A. M.; 4.30, P. M.
E. Braintree, 7.45 11.00 a.m.; 2.30, 4.45, 6.00 p. m.
Weymouth, 7.45, 11.00, a.m.; 2.30, 4.45, 6.00, p.m.
N. Weymouth, 7.45, 11.00, a.m.; 2.30, 4.45, 6.00, p.m.
E. Weymouth, 7.45, 11.00, a.m.; 2.30, 4.45, 6.00, p.m.
Hingham, 7.45, 11.00, a.m.; 2.30, 4.45, 6.00, p.m.
Old Colony House, 7.45, 11.00, a.m.; 2.30 4.45, 6.00, p.m.
Nantasket, 7.45, 11.00, a.m.; 2.30, 4.45, 6.00, p.m.
Cohasset, 7.45, 11.00, a.m., 2.30, 4.45, 6.00, p.m.
South Weymouth, 9 am.; 2.30, 5, pm.
North, Centre and South Abington, 9 a.m 2.30, 5, pm.
East Bridgewater, 9 am, 2.30, 5 pm.
North Hanson, Hanson, Halifax and Plympton, 9 am.; 2.30, 5 pm.
Kingston and Plymouth, 9 am.; 2.30, 5 pm.
New Bedford & Fairhaven, 8 am.; 4 pm.
Cape Cod Railroad, 8 am.; 4 pm.
Milton & Mattapan, 9.30 am.; 1, 00, 3.00, 4.10 6.15pm.

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Plymouth, 6.40, 9.30 am.; 3.40 pm.
Kingston, 6.50, 9.40 am.; 3.50 pm.
Plympton, 6.58, 9.46 am.; 3.57 pm.
Halifax, 7.02, 9.49am.; 4.02 pm.
Hanson, 7.10 9.56 am.; 4.11 pm.
N. Hanson, 7.15 10 am; 4.16 pm.
East Bridgewater, 7, 9.42 am.; 3.12 pm.
South Abington, 7.20, 10.05 am.; 4.20 pm.
Abington, 7.25, 10.10 am.; 4.28 pm.
No. Abington, 7.30, 10.16 am.; 4.34 pm.
S. Weymouth, 7.36, 10.24 am.; 4.43 pm.
Cohasset, 6.20, 7.00, 8.10 a.m., 12.40, 4.15, 5.50‡ p. m.
Nantasket 6.25, 7.05, 8.15 a.m, 12.45, 4.20, 5.55 p. m.
‡ O. C. House, 6.28, 7.09, 8.18, a.m. 12.50 4.25, 5.58, p.m.
Hingham, 6.32, 7.15, 8.23 am, 12.55, 4.30, 6.01 p.m.
E. Weymouth 6.41, 7.23, 8.32 a.m., 1.10, 4.40, 6.08 pm.
N. Weymouth 6.46, 7.28, 8.36, p.m.; 1.15, 4.45, 6.12, pm.
Weymouth 6.50, 7.33, 8.41am., 1.20, 4.49, 6.16pm.
E. Braintree 6.54, 7.36, 8.45am., 1.27, 4.52, 6.19pm.
Newport, 7.40 am.; 3 pm.
Fall River, (via Taunton) ‡4.40, 6.40, 8.25 am.; 3.40 pm.
Fall River, (via Bridgewater) 6.55 am.; 3.45 pm.
Middleboro', 7.40, 9.15 am.; 4.28 pm.
Bridgewater, 6.35, 6.50, 7.58, 9.30 am.; 12.45, 4.48 pm.
E. & W. Bridgewater, 6.40, 8.05 am.; 12.50, 4.53 pm.
North Bridgewater, 7, 8.24, 9.45 am.; 1.05, 5.10 pm.
E. Stoughton, 7.09, 8.33 am.; 1.13, 5.18 pm.
E. Randolph, 7.15, 8.39 am.; 1.19, 5.23 pm.
Taunton, †5.15, 7.35, 9.05 am.; 4.20 pm.
Raynham, 7.41 am.; 4.27 pm.
Easton, 7.51 am.; 4.39 pm.
North Easton, 7. 8, 9.30 am.; 4.45 pm.
Stoughton, 7.08, 8.07, 9.37 am.; 4.52 pm.
North Stoughton, 7.10 am.;
Randolph, 7.15, 8.15, 9.45 am.; 5.02 pm.
South Braintree, 6.05, 6.55, 7.24, 7.47, 8.22, 8.46, 9.15, 10.35 am.; 1.30, 3, 4.53, 5.08, 5.30, 8.30† pm.
Braintree, 6.09, 6.59, 7.28, 7.40, 7.52, 8.26, 8.50, 9.20, 10.40 am.; 1.34, 3.04, 4.57, 5.11, 6.24, 8.31† pm.
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Neponset, 6.25, 7.15, 7.41, 7.53, 8.20, 8.40, 9.06, 9.33, 10.30, 10.56 am.; 1.59, 2.10, 3.22, 5.11, 5.30, 6.40, 8.59† pm.
Harrison Sq., 6.29, 7.19, 7.45, 8.24, 8.41, 9.10, 9.37, 10.34, 11 am., 1.54, 2.14, 3.26, 5.16, 5.34, 6.41, 8.54† pm.

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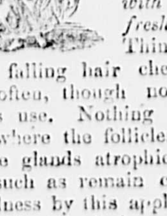

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ABOUT INDIA.

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Mr. Editor:—Last Sunday evening, Mr. Parker, the Missionary to India, lectured in the vestry of the Congregational Church, on the subject—Superiority of Christianity over Heathenism.

Most persons are interested in learning the customs of foreign parts; and if occasion permits, desire to become personally acquainted with their customs; but as very few are so situated that they can visit foreign countries, much must necessarily be trusted to the accuracy of books. There are many peculiarities however, that are usually considered too unimportant and therefore escape the author's notice. For this reason the lecture referred to, was one of peculiar interest, as it abounded with just such simple facts which do so much to reveal the real, every-day character of a people. Probably most of the readers of the Gazette have learned, through the medium of books, something of the character of the inhabitants of India; yet a brief allusion to a few points of the lecture may not be wholly uninteresting to those of your readers who did not hear it.

The surface of India consists either of vast plains, or abruptly rising mountains. The climate generally, is hot. There are only three seasons; the first, commencing in April is very hot, and would succeed in withering every thing but that the trees at this time put on their richest foliage; the next season begins at about the middle of June, and is known as the "wet season," during which, rain almost constantly falls; the last commences in October and ends with March; although this is the coldest it is not cold enough to freeze.

India, though much smaller than the U. S. contains ten times as many inhabitants. In stature they are smaller than Americans, having a brown complexion, resembling neither the negro nor the American Indian. They are also weaker physically, which may be accounted for partially, by the fact that they never eat any kind of meat.

The lecturer said that their language was not a very difficult one to learn; the chief trouble being on account of the similarity of words of different meaning. He quoted one instance where a gentleman used the meaning wild beasts for young men; which however, would not be called such an unpardonable mistake by some of the Girls of the Period.

A few years ago no female schools were to be found in India; but through the instrumentality of missionaries the girls are now allowed to attend school. He had with him some idols which were worshiped in India. They were not more than six inches high and were made of some kind of metal resembling copper. We had always imagined that the idols of which we had read, which were worshiped in foreign countries, were much larger; but Mr. Parker said that, except in rich families, none larger than these would be seen.

In India the age of marriage is seven years and if an unlucky maiden reaches the age of twelve, without an offer of marriage, she is pointed out as in every respect, on the path to an Old Maid! As the "match" is made by the parents he said that it was a very common thing for the bride and bridegroom to see each other for the first time on the eve of marriage. Well might the Women of America cry for their rights if such was their condition.

They believe that in the creation four persons were created and accordingly their society—if such it may be called,—is divided into four parts· each class having as little as possible to do with the other. So if one man is stricken down with disease and cannot speak to tell to which class he belongs he is left to die, as no one will touch him for fear of being defiled.

Mr. Parker said that wherever he had been he always found that thought never extended beyond where the Bible was found. In India, the inhabitants of to-day tread in the steps of their forefathers. The pointed stick which was used two thousand years ago, to prepare the earth for seed, is used at the present time. He spoke of a person who, seeing them carrying heavy loads of gravel on their heads, constructed some wheelbarrows for their use; after a few days he called to see how they succeeded in using them and found them carrying the loaded wheel-barrows on their heads. Other examples were given showing their great lack of thought.

An illustration of the deception of the priests and the credulity of the people was given. The news-papers announced that a priest had miraculously, extended a bridge across a river, during a single night. The water also was called "holy" and able to cure blindness. Large numbers of people were continually flocking to the river; but the bridge was always washed away before their arrival, and the water although it had cured a great many never failed to disappoint those who tried it. The secret of it all was that the people were obliged to pay the priests something before going down to the water and consequently in a short time the priests had a plenty of 'change!'

At the close of the lecture he showed a number of their ornaments and articles of clothing, all of which only served to show the foolishness and thoughtlessness of a people who never read the Bible.

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The Commissioner of Internal Revenue will probably decide that the licensed town agents in Massachusetts are not liable to internal tax as liquor dealers. The subject has been referred by him to a deputy in his office, who has prepared a long argument against collecting the taxes assessed, which, if paid at all, have been paid under protest.

According to Major Jones' report for February, the total number of prosecutions by his force was 934. Of these 549 were liquor prosecutions and 186 for other offences. There were 203 seizures of liquors and 5 of gaming implements. For fines and costs there were paid in $11,952.58.

A DEFIANT MAIDEN.

There lived on Taunton Hill, on a road running at right angles from the street, a certain elderly man, long time a widower, whose name was Timothy Bunce. He was not a favorite in the village, being somewhat simple in mind, but crabbed in manner: not that he really was cross-grained, but he was weak and he knew it, and defended himself with such weapons against his craftier and stronger brethren. But he had a good farm, and money in the bank, and everything comfortable about him; his cows slick and his fowls abundant; his crops always fair, if not remarkable. And to a stranger it seemed odd enough that no woman had stormed his castle, and taken possession of him and his, long ago. But beside Timothy Bunce's weakness and snappishness, there was one thing that separated him yet more widely from the Taunton people—he was an Episcopalian. He was not born or "raised" in Taunton, where everybody that could go any where, went duly to the big white meeting-house and took in pure Calvinism with unquestioning simplicity; he had gone from a neighboring village, and there fallen into what Taunton held to be the wrong religion and wrong politics; and when he had amassed some money, at the age of forty, he bought this farm on the hill and took up his abode there, religion, politics, and all, clinging to his old ideas simply because he had not wish or will to change them.

He had always had a neice to keep house with him; but a few weeks before he fell into collision with our Polly Mariner, the neice had died and left him in a peculiarly helpless and friendless condition, which was fully discussed in and about Taunton, not only as to its present wants, but their prospective supply; but nobody seemed to suggest just the right thing, in fact, nobody thought of Polly as a person attainable to fill Mary Ann Bunce's place. She was altogether too important to the town; but in Polly's mind there was a certain stir of expectation, a balancing of probabilities and appraisement, as it were, of what was and what might be, that prepared her to receive a call from Mr. Bunce with a proper degree of composure, and to show no signs of its unexpectedness.

It was late Sunday afternoon, and Polly sat by the open door of her clean kitchen, rocking placidly. All her belongings were spotless and orderly. She herself looked in her Sunday gown of black silk something softer than usual. Age had not changed her except to a kindlier aspect, a little threading of silver in the black curls, less fire in the blacker eyes, less snap and crackle in her movements and her voice—yes, Polly was really mitigated, and when she said to Tim Bunce, "Set down, set down, Mr. Bunce—take this cheer!" there was something like suavity in her tones.

Timothy sat down; he was a little man, and in bodily presence contemptible enough, his narrow face, wandering blue eyes, sleek and scanty light hair, the very crack in his voice, bespoke him a weak brother; and yet he considered himself able to control and direct any woman on earth, regarding them as inferior creatures, useful about a house, as others have done before him. But Polly's aspect, exceptionally subdued as it was when he encountered it alone, rather daunted him. He began to stroke his hair nervously, to roll his eyes about like a timid rabbit, to clear his throat and fidget on his chair; symptoms which Polly regarded with a critical eye and judged favorable.

"Well'm, Miss Polly," at last he stammered, "pretty good weather for corn."

"Well, yes 'tis, dredful growthy kind of weather for most anything; garden sass seems to be partickerlerly favored this year."

"Does—does it. I should think so by the look o'yourn; quite a hand with a garden you be, I guess!"

"Well, I don't know. Some hes faculty, an' some hesn't."

"Mary Ann she was a master piece of a gardner. I don't reely know how to git along without her."

"It was quite an affliction for ye. I should think't you'd miss her a heap."

"I do, reelly now; I miss her consider'ble. Seems as though I couldn't get along no longer 'thout somebody." Here Timothy happened to look sidewise, and caught those black eyes fixed upon him with unwinking sternness, and his own rolled fearfully; the ground seemed uncertain under his feet, he was scared; but he went on: "Fact is, I don't feel as though I could stan' much more on't. Mary Ann she'd lived to our house a spell along back afore Miss Bunce died, so't she staid right along 'n did for me, 'nd I didn't feel so kinder lost without Miss Bunce as I should hev otherwise; but now I do, I tell ye! And I've heerd a lot about how dreadful smart you be, and knowin't and I stepped over to see ef mebbe you'd take her place', (oh Timothy! Timothy! your last 'proper noun was "Miss Bunce;" and Polly knew it, though you didn't!") "I'd fix up the haouse 'nd I'd"——

Polly never let a driven nail go unclinched; some vague instinct of femininity made her drop her eyes, but she spoke. "I declare for't! Mr. Bunce, you hev took me clean by surprise! I hadn't never thought of changin' my condition"

"Oh," gasped Timothy, turning red and blue—but she did not hear or see him.

"But seein' you're so kind, and your lonesomeness, 'nd all, I don't know but what I'd as lives marry you as the next one!"

"Oh!" gasped Timothy again; oh hear! I—I—I didn't, oh!"

"Why, suthin' ails ye, don't there? 'pears as ef ye was overcome; 'tis kind of tryin' time; won't ye hev some pepermint?"

Timothy sat with both hands on his knees, convulsed with rage and terror; perhaps she would marry him then and there in spite of him, and carry him home in triumph; and his dry tongue refused more words.

'Now do hev some, or smell to the camphire. It's time you had a wife to look after ye; I understand fits real well.'

'O—h!' shrieked Timothy, rising to his tottering feet in fresh fury, that loosed his speech. 'I didn't! I a'n't agoin to. I didn't say nothin' about marryin'! I won't, I don't want to.'

Polly was purple herself now; her eyes snapped like sparks, her nose went up higher yet in the air, her chin quivered, the very curls on her head seemed to bristle. She was a spectacle of terror to Timothy, who literally shook in his shoes.

"Well! I should think! you pitiful little rat, 't can't hardly squeak in your own barn, a comin round me, a respectable woman, to make me your music! Fust a askin' of me plain as a pike staff to marry ye, 'nd then backin' out on't right off? You, the meanest critter the Lord ever made, 'nd I guess you was made out o' the bits 'nd ends that was left! I wouldn't pick ye out o' the dirt with the tongs!"

'I didn't, I didn't, oh! I didn't, I never thought on't. I don't want to.'

'Now go to lyin,' will ye!" ejaculated Polly, calm with excess of anger, like a buzz saw and equally as dangerous.

"Hain't I got ears? 'nd didn't I hear ye ask to take Miss Bunce's place jest as plain as the nose on your little sneakin' face, that's most all nose?"

'Oh, I didn't!' reiterated the abject and thoroughly terrified Timothy; 'I didn't! I never! I said Mary Ann.'

"Well, keep on a lyin', do. I might ha' know'd there wan't no good in ye; nothin' but a 'Piscopalian, anyhow. Don't know enough to say your own prayers; what the Lord above made 'Piscopalians and muskeeters for, I don't know, 'xcept to keep up an everlastin' buzz; they hain't nyther on 'em got souls that's worth savin', nor bodies enough to hold 'em if they hed. Come!" Polly advanced in wrath. 'Clear out o' my house! quit, afore I ketch ye by the back o' your neck 'nd drop ye out o' the window. Clear, I say!'

A whole troop could not have alarmed the luckless Timothy more. Snatching up his hat from the floor, he fled, ejaculating as he went, in broken accents:

'Oh Lord! oh my! Good Lord deliver us from all—oh, open this gate! Thunder—oh!' far into the distance, finding, poor fellow, nowhere in the Litany, which involuntarily sprung to his lips, a petition for deliverance from furies or old maids!

Polly sank into her chair, breathless. For awhile the excitement of rage supported her, then came the bitter after taste of mortification and disappointment; as she sat in her door the melancholy range of bare hills that lay before her sent unawares a chill into her heart. Polly was not ordinarily sensitive to nature, but nature, like air and love, acts upon us without our consciousness or connivance, and the sad peace of those rolling summits, the plaintive quiet that settled round closing day, all the solitary depths of the Summer sky, untroubled with one spark as yet, seem to close about the exasperated and lonely woman like the walls of a cloister, and sink deeper into her soul the conviction that for her there was no centre, no home. It may do for men to live their own lives and die alone, with the courage of the stoicism that is their birthright, but not for women. The strongest, the best, the most audaciously independent of us, will be conscious as age assaults us of our weakness and unhappiness, bitterly conscious if we are solitary.

Polly's mood of regret and bitterness was new to her and exquisitely painful; but at last she roused herself from it, growling, as she went about her work for the night.

"Well, he was a fool, that's a fact, 'nd I was consider'ble of one myself; but I skeered him mightly, anyhow!"

Neither of the parties cared to tell the tale of their mutual discomfiture; but Timothy sold his farm and removed to the wilds of Vermont, hunted by the fear of Polly Mariner; and people noticed as years passed that Polly grew less and less aggressive, even more friendly. She spared, and pinched, and saved, till there was enough laid up in the Savings Bank to give her rest in her last days; but rest she could not take. Action was the breath of her existence, and happily for her, a sharp and brief fever ended her long and busy life; a decline would have tortured her both in her own incapacity and that of any available heir.

THE ALLIGATORS OF FLORIDA.

The perils of traversing the swamps of Florida are graphically depicted in the following adventure of a travelling show in that region the present winter.

While performing in Tallahassee, Florida, it was mentioned to Mr. J. F. Robinson, Junior, that he might expect some difficulty in passing through a long and dismal swamp between that place and Quincy, on account of the large number of alligators who infested the ford at this particular locality, and who are at this season of the year very ferocious, and on watch for any unfortunate mule or horse that may become entangled in the numerous roots, quicksands and holes which abound at the ford; but he replied, as the agent had already made the arrangements for him to go through, and it was not his nature to turn back, he had nothing left but to follow, trusting to his previous good fortune in getting thus far. The result of this decision, although anticipating some difficulty, was far more serious than he anticipated.

At three o'clock P. M., on Tuesday, January 25, Professor Lewis Houston, who has charge of the animals, started with elephant Empress, the large Bactrian camel, the beautiful Arabian White camel, a fine thoroughbred mare and colt, and two spotted coach dogs, to make the trip to Quincy, although repeatedly warned by Mr. J. F. Robinson, Jr., not to attempt the passage of the swamp in any other than daylight. He however went through. Before approaching the ford, an occasional bellow or roar was heard betokening that the inhabitants of the locality had not retired for the night, and a sudden plunge and splash in the water would denote that the enemy was on the alert for mischief. The elephant would every few steps, throw her trunk aloft, emitting at the same time a loud screech of defiance, the camels uttering low moans, while the horses almost refused to stir, and stood trembling with fear, while the dogs kept up an incessant howling. Approaching the water at the ford, Houston determined upon the immediate passage through before the alligators could summon their crew.

Bidding the elephant enter, she stepped boldly in at the same time lashing the water furiously with her trunk; the camels, horses and dogs followed close in the rear. He had passed two-thirds of the way when a sharp yelp of pain from one of the coach dogs and his sudden disappearance denoted that the swamp fiends were at work, and before he could collect his thoughts the other dog went under with a long death howl. He now began to think of his own safety, and calling to the elephant, commanded her to turn, as she did. Soon a fearful roar was heard from the large Bactrian camel who had at that instant been attacked. The water seemed alive with alligators. The roaring, bellowing and screeching of elephants, camels, and alligators were terrific. They would throw their ponderous jaws open and tear huge pieces of flesh from the camels, while the poor brutes would utter heart-rending groans and cries for relief. In the meantime the elephant was not idle. Ever solicitous for the welfare of her keeper and her companions, she had, at the moment of seeing them safely landed upon the opposite shore, rushed back to the assistance of her friend, the camel, who by this time was nearly gone, and by creating the greatest furore among her assailants, succeeded in bringing the head of the camel to the shore, that portion being all that remained of the poor animal.

In the confusion that ensued, Houston did not miss the colt until warned by a shrill scream or neigh, which seemed to come from several rods below. Upon rushing down the stream a few rods a terrible scene was presented to his view. It would seem that the denizens of Chattahoochee swamp for miles around had become cognizant of some extra attraction at that particular point on this night and had started for that rendezvous, and upon reaching the scene of action had unexpectedly encountered both food and opposition at the same time—for, simultaneous with the meeting of the colt they met their pursuers, and an awful battle ensued. Several times it seemed as if the colt would escape and regain the shore, so busy were the alligators in destroying each other; but just before the poor creature would reach the land, some monster, more ravenous than brave, would leave the melee, pursue and drag it back into deep water, until finally it became exhausted and fell an easy prey to the fearful reptiles, while Professor Houston stood looking on with blanched and terrified looks, wholly unable to render the least assistance, threatened with a terrible death should he even attempt it. As he turned to retrace his steps toward the place where he left the remaining animals, he counted the cost. He had made the passage, but at a terrible sacrifice. He came out with an elephant, one camel and one horse. The camel was valued at $5000, and very rare. The colt Mr. Robinson had repeatedly refused $1000 for. It will be many a long year before Mr. Houston will forget the horrors of passing through a Florida swamp at night.

TO LET—INQUIRE WITHIN.

The lady flounced out in a rage.

Two young damsels and a spinster aunt followed, and after a lengthy inspection of the premises, came to a state council in the parlor.

"I like the house very much," said the spinster aunt solemnly, "and with a few alterations, I will engage it for my brother's family."

"Very good, ma'am," said Nahum, rubbing his hands, and scenting a speedy termination to his trials. "Name 'em."

"The door handles must all be gilded, and I should like the house newly papered in velvet and gold, and repainted, and the partition between the parlors taken down and replaced by an arch, and an extension dining-room built on behind, and a new style of range in the kitchen, and a dumb waiter put in, and new bronze chandeliers throughout, and another furnace in the sub-cellar, and—

"Hold on, ma'am—just hold on one minute," said Nahum, feebly gasping for breath. "Wouldn't you like the old house carted away, and a new one put in its place? I think it would be rather less trouble than to make the trifling alterations you suggest."

"Sir!" said the spinster loftily.

"I don't think we can agree, ma'am."

"Very well—very well—come, girls."

With prim dignity the lady marshalled her two charges out, muttering something about the "extortionate ideas of landlords now-a-days."

While Nahum, wildly rumpling his iron-grey hair with both hands, soliloquized:

"Well, if Job had been alive, and had a house to let, there never would have been any book of Job written. There goes that everlasting bell again! I'll haul it out by the roots, if this thing goes on much longer. I'll tear down the bill, and put up the place at auction."

Another lady, but quite different from the other—a slender little cast-down lady, with a head that drooped like a lily of the valley, and a dress of brown silk, that had been mended, and turned, and retrimmed, and even Nahum Briggs, man and bachelor though he was, could see how shabby it was. Yet she was pretty, with big blue eyes, and shining brown hair, and cheeks tinged with a fair, fleeting color, where the velvety roses of youth had once bloomed in vivid carmine. And a golden-haired little lassie clung to her dress, as like the tiny lily buds to a blooming chime of flower bells.

As Nahum Briggs stood looking at her, there came back to him the sunshiny days of youth; a field of blooming clover crimsoned the June light like waves of blood, and a blue-eyed girl leaning over the fence with her bright hair barred with level sunset gold, and he knew that he was standing face to face with Barbara Wylie, the girl he had quarrelled with years and years ago, and whose blue eyes had kept him an old bachelor all his life long.

"This house is to be let, I believe?" she asked timidly, with a little quiver in her mouth.

"I believe it is, Barbara Wylie."

She looked up, starting with a sudden flush of recognition.

And then Barbara turned very pale, and began to weep, with the little golden haired girl clinging to her skirts, and wailing—

"Mamma, mamma—what's the matter, mamma?"

"Nothing now," said Barbara, resolutely brushing away the tears.

"If you please, Mr. Briggs, I will look at the house; I am a widow now, and very poor, and I think of keeping a boarding-house to earn my daily bread. I hope the rent is not very high?"

"We'll talk about the rent afterwards," said Nahum, fiercely swallowing down a big lump in his throat that threatened to choke him.

"Come here, little girl, and kiss me; I used to know your mamma when she wasn't much bigger than you are."

Barbara with her blue eyes still drooping, went all over the house, without finding a word of fault, and Nahum Briggs walked at her side, wondering if it was really fifteen years since the June sunshine lay so brightly on the clover field.

"I think the house is beautiful," said meek Barbara. "Will you rent it to me, Nahum?"

"Well, yes," said Nahum thoughtfully. "I'll let you have my house, if you want it, Barbara."

"With the privilege of keeping a few boarders?"

"No, ma'am!"

Barbara stopped and looked wistfully at him.

"But I don't think you understand how very poor I am, Mr. Briggs."

"Yes, I do."

"And that I cannot afford to take the house, without the privilege of boarders."

"I tell you what, Barbara," said Mr. Briggs dictatorily, "I'll give you the privilege of keeping just one boarder, and him you have got to keep all your life long, if you once take him."

"I don't think I quite understand you, Nahum Briggs," said Barbara, but she blushed very becomingly, and we are rather inclined to think that she told a naughty little fib.

"What do you say to me for a boarder, Barbara?" said the old bachelor, taking both the widow's hands in his. "Barbara, we were young fools once, but that is no reason why we should be old fools now. I like you just as well as ever I did, and I'll do my best to be a good husband to you, and a good father to your little girl, if you'll be my wife."

Barbara blushed again, and hesitated, but Nahum was not to be eluded thus.

"Shall I take down the sign 'To Let,' Barbara?"

"Yes," she murmured, almost under her breath.

So Nahum went deliberately out, and coolly tore down the bill, to the great astonishment and disappointment of a party of rabid house-hunters, who were just ascending the steps.

"And when shall we be married, Barbara?" he next demanded.

"In the summer, perhaps," said Mrs. Barbara shyly.

"To-morrow," said Nahum decisively, and "to-morrow" it was.

"Upon my word, Barbara," said Nahum, on the first day of May, as he watched his wife's blooming face behind the coffee urn, "you can't think how much jollier it is with you for a housekeeper than that hag, Mrs. Parley."

Barbara only laughed, and said "he was a dear, good old stupid!"

So the probabilities are that neither Mr. Nahum Briggs nor his brown stone house will be in market again as "To Let—Inquire Within."

A TRADE IN RIDDLES.

Nine persons sailed from Balse down the Rhine. A Jew who wished to go to Schalampi was allowed to come on board and journey with them, upon condition that he would conduct himself with propriety, and give the captain eighteen kreutzers for his passage.

Now, it is true something jingled in the Jews pocket when he struck his hand against it; but the only money there was a twelve dollar kreutzer piece, for the other was a brass button. Notwithstanding this he accepted the offer with gratitude. For he thought to himself—'Something may be earned even upon the water. There is many a man has grown rich upon the Rhine.'

During the first part of the voyage the passengers were very talkative and merry, and the Jew, with his wallet under his arm, for he did not lay it aside, was an object of much mirth and mockery, as, alas, is often the case with his nation. But as the vessel sailed onward, and passed Thurengen and St. Velt, the passengers, one after another, grew silent and gaped and gazed listlessly down the river, until one cried:

'Come, Jew! Do you know any pastime that will amuse us? Your fathers must have contrived many a one during their journey in the wilderness.'

'Now is the time,' thought the Jew, to 'shear my sheep!' And he proposed that they should sit round in a circle, and he, with their permission, would sit with them. Those who could not answer the questions should pay the one who propounded them a twelve kreutzer piece, and those who answered them pertinently should receive a twelve-kreutzer piece.

This proposal pleased the company, and hoping to divert themselves with the Jew's wit or stupidity, each one asked at random whatever chanced to enter his head.

Thus, for example, the first asked; 'How many soft boiled eggs could the giant Goliah eat on an empty stomach?'

All said it was impossible to answer that question, and each paid the twelve kreutzers.

But the Jew said—'One; for he who has eaten one egg, cannot put a second upon an empty stomach, and the others paid him twelve kreutzers.

The other thought—'Wait Jew, I will try you out of the new Testament, and I think I shall win my piece! Why did the Apostle Paul write the second epistle to the Corinthians.

The Jew said—'Because he was not in Corinth—otherwise he would have spoken to them.' So he won another twelve kreutzer piece.

When the third saw that the Jew was well versed in the Bible, he tried him in a different way. 'Who prolongs his work to as great length as possible, and completes it in time?'

'The ropemaker, if he is industrious,' said the Jew.

In the meantime they drew near to a village, and one said to the other—'that is Bamlach. Then the fourth asked 'in what month do the people of Bamlach eat the least?'

The Jew said' 'In February, for it has only twenty-eight days?'

The fifth said, there are two "natural brothers, and still only one is my uncle.

The Jew said, 'The uncle is your father's brother and your father is not your uncle.'

A fish now leaped out of the water, and the sixth asked, 'What fish have their eyes nearest together?'

The Jew said, 'The smallest.'

The seventh asked, 'How can a man ride from Balse to Bern in the shade, in the summer time, when the sun shines? 'The Jew said, 'When he comes to a place where there is no shade he must dismount and go on foot.'

The eighth asked, 'When a man rides in the winter time from Bern to Balse, and has forgotten his gloves, how must he manage so that his hands shall not freeze?'

The Jew said, 'He must make fists out of them?'

The ninth was the last. This one asked. 'How can five persons divide five eggs so that each man shall receive one, and still one remain in the dish?'

The Jew said—'The last man must take the dish with the egg, and he can let it lie there as long as he pleases.'

But now it came to his turn, and he determined to make a good sweep. After many preliminary compliments, he asked with an air of mischievous friendliness—'How can a man fry two trouts in three pans, so that a trout may lie in each pan?'

No one could answer this, and one after the other gave him a twelve-kreutzer piece. But when the ninth desired that he should solve the riddle, he rocked to and fro, shrugged his shoulders and rolled his eyes. 'I am a poor Jew,' he said at last.

The rest cried—'What has that to do with it? Give us the answer.

'You must not take it amiss, for I am a poor Jew.'

At last, after much persuasion and many promises that they would do him no harm, he thrust his hand into his pocket, took out one of the twelve-kreutzer pieces that he had won, laid it upon the table, and said—'I do not know the answer any more than you do. Here are my twelve kreutzers.'

When they heard these words, they opened their eyes and said that this was scarcely according to the agreement. But as they could not control their laughter, and were wealthy and good-natured men, and as the Jew had helped them to while away the time from Saint Velt to Schlampi, they let it pass; and the Jew took with him from the vessel—let a good arithmetician reckon up for me how much the Jew carried home with him. He had twelve kreutzer pieces by his answer, nine with his own riddle, one he paid back, and eighteen kreutzers he gave to the captain.

Aristocratic Religion.—Beecher says of aristocratic religion: "There are a great many persons that do not want to be converted in a Methodist meeting because there are common, plain folks there. They do not want to go where common folks are. Bless their dear, aristocratic souls! They are going to surprise God with the beauty of their conversion! Oh! they, black as crows, are going to come out now, pretty soon, as nightingales, or canaries, and sing in heaven, and God is going to say, 'What is that? What is that?' Men and Women when converted are going to be furbelowed, clad in silk and broadcloths! It is so comfortable, you know, to be converted under satin, perfumed, ringed, wristleted, jeweled, and especially belong'ng to the 'select circ'e,'—the circles where they are more selfish than anywhere else; where they use fastidiousness and privilege as a means of making themselves meaner and narrower: as a means of caulking and stopping up every outflow of a large sympathy that connects them with the brotherhood of men. Polite folks, and fashionable folks—that only commit fashionable sins, I suppose—are going to be converted on carpets, and in silks and white cambrics, and with beautiful opals on their fingers."

Capital New Novel.—"Red as a Rose is She," a new novel by the author of 'Cometh Up as a Flower,' is a very vivid and charming love-story, in which the characters are drawn with unusual vigor, and the incidents have probability and freshness. "Cometh Up as a Flower,' and 'Not Wisely, but too Well,' the preceding novels by the same author, attracted no little attention on account of their spirited character-sketching; they exhibited, indeed, in this particular, a really striking power. Red as a Rose has the same quality. A better-drawn heroine, or one more truly full of a delicious human nature, no recent fiction has supplied. The interest of the story is most absorbing, and, altogether, it is the freshest and most readable book of the season. Published by D. Appleton & Co., New York, who will mail a copy to any address, post paid, on the receipt of sixty cents; or three books by the same author, for 1.50.

Spring Styles.—The Spring styles for boots and shoes in the Northern cities, and among the fashionable makers, differ but slightly from those in use for the past year or more, all the changes that we can record being such as to adapt the boot more to the shape of the foot and produce a more sensible and easy fitting article both for ladies' and gentlemen's wear. Ladies' and misses' Polish boots are not now cut quite as high as formerly, and the button fastening is still preferred. Some ornamentation in stitching is followed, and rosettes continued to be worn. The most noticeable change in styles is, however, in making all kinds of boots shoes wide at the toe.

At Brownsville, Texas, a Mexican boy, who has been laboring under the hallucination that he was a horse, and whose favorite pastime was running himself in horse-racing, became frantic and unmanageable the other day, wild-horse like, and ran into the river and was drowned.

A new reading of an old line—"Time and taxes shall wait for no man."

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LETTER FROM CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, Feb. 28, 1870.

MR. EDITOR:—Chicago is a live, large city, with a population 50,000 larger than that of Boston, and the buildings, both business and domiciliary, of a superior character. Handsome, wide streets, running at right angles, with shade trees on each walk, make it a very pleasant place in the summer, when the trees are in leaf and nature spreads its carpet of green. Lake Michigan, with its vast body of fresh water, 400 miles long and some 80 miles wide, appears like the ocean, and in the heart of a great country vessels are loading for Liverpool by the way of the Lakes, the Welland Canal, and St. Lawrence River. The number of vessels cleared for foreign ports last year was 87, and the arrivals from the same, 67. The total tonnage of Chicago is 2,784,735, and as the river is greatly crowded with steamers and sailing vessels, continually arriving and departing, increased accommodation for them is becoming imperative.

The river divides the city in two parts, and is crossed by draw-bridges, which are a great impediment to locomotion between the opposite shores, the average number of vessels passing through the draws being one in every twelve minutes. This grievance is, however, soon to be remedied by the construction of tunnels under the river for foot passengers and teams. One of these is finished at the foot of Washington street, connecting the South and West parts of the city, which I passed through on foot and in a carriage. It is lighted by gas, and is perfectly dry and safe. Eventually, all the principal streets will be carried through tunnels.

The river will in time connect with the Mississippi by a canal, making a direct route to New Orleans, and this grand enterprise, with the network of railroads centering here, must make Chicago one of the largest cities in the United States.

THE STOCK YARDS

Deserve a particular description, from the magnitude of the business transacted there. They are situated six miles from the city, and the cattle, hogs, sheep, etc., are brought here over branch tracks connecting with the railroads which run into the city. The stock pens present the appearance of a large settlement, being divided into streets and blocks, the area being 100 acres, with seven miles of streets, thirty-one miles of drainage, three miles of water troughs, ten miles of feed troughs, twenty-three hundred gates to open fifteen hundred yards for cattle, eight hundred covered pens, for hogs and sheep, and stalls for two hundred horses. The amount of lumber used in the construction of this vast depository for animals, was 22,000,000 feet, and 500,000 lbs. of nails were used in building the pens, &c. Seventeen miles of railroad track connect with 60 switches, and the streets are all paved with plank, or Nicholson blocks. The whole cost of this enterprise was $1,675,000. 200 acres are held in reserve for future extensions, as the business is rapidly increasing. There is a large hotel on the grounds, capable of accommodating from 600 to 700 guests, and the house is full most of the time, the patrons being principally drovers. There is also a National Bank located on the premises, which convenience is a great necessity, as vast sums of money are in constant circulation in the transaction of business daily.

The yards at present contain 21,000 head of cattle, 75,000 hogs, 22,000 sheep. By the last week's report, I notice that there were brought here during three days, 5,779 cattle, 22,889 hogs, and 5,079 sheep, by which some idea of the magnitude of the trade can be formed.

Near the yards are several slaughter houses, where 1500 hogs are killed daily. I was very politely shown the processes which the unclean animal passes through before the pork is ready for the consumer. The hogs are driven into an enclosure and up an inclined plane to the top of the building, which is four stories in height, where they are seized by the hind leg, drawn up to the requisite height and quickly despatched amidst a babel of squealing and kicking which must be seen to be realized. As soon as the hogs are defunct they are passed along to troughs filled with boiling water, and the bristles removed, when they are cut open and hung up to cool for three days. They are then passed down to the cutting up department, in the cellar of which I saw two million lbs. of salted pork stacked up some six feet high. This pile is turned over several times before it is fit to pack. The pork for the British market is packed in boxes, the Johnny's preferring that method to packing in pickle. Thousands upon thousands of barrels of pork are piled at the sides of the railway tracks ready to be loaded into the cars for shipment to the different markets.

The water arrangements at the stock yards are on a large scale, an abundant supply being obtained from an artesian well sunk twelve hundred feet in the earth, with tanks elevated fifty feet above the yards. The cattle are well supplied with water and provender during their occupation of the yard. The drovers pay a tax of 25 cents a day per head for cattle, and 8 cents for hogs and sheep.

What the future of Chicago will be, time can only tell. It is already the greatest city in the country in the pork, lumber and grain trade. The lumber business has increased from 31,118,225 feet received in 1847, when the business was first commenced here, to 882,661,770 feet in 1868, with exports in nearly the same proportion. The amount of flour exported in 1852, was 61,190 bbls.; in 1864, 1,150,186 bbls. In the same years the number of bushels of wheat shipped was respectively 941,476, and 16,372,819; corn, 2,750,011, and 12,557,325 bushels; beef, 8,253, bbls., and 179,520 bbls; pork, 102,225 bbls., and 701, 854 bbls. Since the latter year—1864—the amount has probably doubled. We venture the opinion that this is the greatest field in the world for a young man who is in search of a fortune.

Yours truly,

I. E.

MARRIAGES.—In East Weymouth, Feb. 29, by Rev. Jeremiah Hairbrush, Mr. Ezekiel Head to Miss Dorothea Ann Finecomb. (Look out for snarls.)

March 1st, By Rev. Mr. Star, Mr. Moon to Miss Sunshine. (Plenty of moonshine.)

March 3, by Rev. Mr. Lake, Mr. Charles Rivers to Miss Emma Ocean. (Rivers will the Ocean seek.

NORTH WEYMOUTH.

SILVER WEDDING.—On Monday evening of last week Mr. and Mrs. Henry F. Cushing, of Old Spain, celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of their wedding day, by extending very kind and cordial invitations to a large circle of relatives and friends, to meet at their residence in the evening. By eight o'clock quite a large party had assembled, and Mr. and Mrs. Cushing were made the recipients of many beautiful presents, consisting in part as follows:—an elegant silver tea-pot, by Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Curtis; silver butter dish, butter knife and pie knife, by Mrs. Thomas Bicknell and others; silver butter dish, forks, spoons, napkin-rings, and table-cloth, by relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Cushing; a beautiful silver card receiver, with vase, by J. W. Bartlett and others; silver spoon holder, by L. Torrey, Jr.; silver sugar bowl, by Mrs N. H. Thayer; History of Gen. Grant, by Luther Hatch Esq; a marble top table, by Miss Abby Cushing, on which were placed the silver tokens.

The Weymouth Glee Club, of which Mr. Cushing is a member, were invited to be present, but owing to the inclemency of the weather, many were unable to attend. As soon as the congratulatory exercises were gone through with, Rev. S. L. Rockwood was called upon to read a hymn, composed by Miss C. H. Ford, appropriate for the occasion. The hymn was then sung by the glee club, in that beautiful tune, 'Portuguese Hymn.'

TO MR. AND MRS. HENRY F. CUSHING.

Tune:—PORTUGUESE HYMN.

The wintry storms over, at Spring's dawning day
Fond hearts, like the birds, sang their conjugal lay.
Now twenty-five winters are *closing* their scenes,
Their hopes, joys and sorrows, have vanished like dreams.
But th' mercies, the treasures of time's favour'd flow
Still 'round us their fragrance and luxury throw.
To Our Father in Hea'en our praises be given,
May we serve Him on earth, and enjoy Him in Heaven.
This Circle, unbroken by Death's pallid chill,
Has health's cheerful step, and its radiant smile,
Is dividing, extending, its circles are blending
Borne on in their course by the Ocean of Time.
The Future—should sunshine and darkness commingle
Submission will brighten and sweeten each hour,
Ever grateful for mercies and trustful in sorrow
Hoping on—should th' storms of adversity lower.
Life's sternest duties may summon to conflict;
With hearts all unflinching, with courage aglow
Thus arm for the strife—as when for our Country
You wander'd from home and battled the foe.
Should age pay its visits, true filial affection
Will sympathy render substantial and kind,
For well we remember your cheerful devotion,
You were feet to th' lame—you were eyes to th' blind.
And now let our hearts to our Saviour be given,
The angels, with joy, will record it in Heaven.
And th' last marriage supper will utter the word,
Sit down with your Saviour, Redeemer and God.

C. H. FORD.

Mr. Rockwood was then called on for a speech, which he very cheerfully responded to, in his pleasant, humorous style, commencing by saying, that he believed that such gathering together of relatives and friends on an occasion like this, resulted in much good. He thought these kind of gatherings should be called praise meetings instead of silver weddings. Mr. Rockwood expressed his kindest regards, for the invitation so kindly extended to him to be present on such an occasion, and alluded to many circumstances which had crowned the lives of the wedded pair, closing by wishing them a long, useful, prosperous, and happy life, hoping they might live to enjoy a golden wedding, and that all who were present that evening might be spared to meet together on that occasion and enjoy with them the golden wedding as pleasantly as they have this evening their silver wedding.

An hour was then spent in singing, conducted by W. O. Nash, Esq. J. W. Bartlett presided at the Organ, and a duet, entitled "Robin Rough," was sung by Messrs. Bartlett and Porter, which was most beautifully rendered.

A grand treat was bountifully prepared for the occasion of wedding cake, apples, oranges, raisins, confectionery, &c., in profusion. About eleven o'clock, the party began to retire to their several homes, having spent the evening very pleasantly in social greetings and conversation.

N. M.

Mr. Editor: In your report of the Festival at North Weymouth last week you spoke of the "Hymn to the Madonna" as a duet, which was incorrect, it being a trio, Miss Louise Blanchard sustaining the second and very important part. In justice to the lady, you will please correct the statement.

F. O. NASH.

IN MEMORIAM.—On Tuesday, March 8, the members of Post 40, G. A. R., and of Lodge 102, K. O. S. C., paraded to attend the funeral services of their fallen comrade and brother, Charles Briggs, who died on Saturday last. He was a worthy member of both associations, and respected by all who knew him. His death was sudden, as he had been sick but nine days. He leaves a widow and one child.

A correspondent alludes to the refutation published last week, but as we do not think it of public interest, we prefer to let the subject "slide."

EAST WEYMOUTH.—The social levee held by the ladies of the Methodist E. Church in this place on the evenings of March 3d and 4th was a decided success. The whole community seemed to be glad of the opportunity to show their sympathy for the loss of their church.

The ladies of the Congregational church exerted themselves to make the occasion profitable as well as pleasant. They furnished a cake table which was very handsomely spread and liberally patronized. The net profits of the levee amounted to the handsome sum of $278.64.

The burning of the M. E. Church has well tested the cordial christian feeling of the place. It has been weighed in the balance and not found wanting.

By order of the Ladies' Committee.

H. C. GARDNER.

NOTICE.—We would call especial attention to the articles on the Eye and Ear, prepared expressly for this paper; Dr. Bragg will visit Weymouth on Monday and Tuesday, March 21 and 22. The afflicted are advised to secure the services of this distinguished surgeon.

LOVELL'S CORNER.

Last Sunday evening Rev. Mr. Waldron cordially thanked the people of this place, for the donation of $100, which the Ladies Union Circle presented him with the previous evening, as a token of gratitude for his zealous and highly appreciated labors among them. Mr. Waldron said "he hoped they did not think he came to Lovell's Corner expecting any such remuneration, for as the years had rolled on thus far, his labors would have been continued there the same as if he had received no gifts, and yet he said, it was pleasing to know that they not only kindly received him there, but that they were willing to support the gospel as God prospered them.

The Union Circle gave an entertainment in their hall on Wednesday evening of last week, which proved a complete success; the programme comprised quartette music, comic songs in character, humorous dialogues and laughable tableaux &c. Refreshments were provided by the ladies; and the hall was crowded with an enthusiastically pleased audience. The evening passed in the utmost harmony, and the circle received the reward their perseverance truly deserves.

J. G. S.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.—The Lodge of this Order located at Weymouth Landing is rapidly becoming a strong institution, new candidates for membership coming forward every week. The Knights, realizing the truth of the declaration that "it is not good for man to be alone," invited their sweethearts and wives to a social entertainment at the lodge rooms on Thursday evening of last week, and though the hospitality of the Knights was tested to the utmost capacity of accommodation, the arrangements were so well planned under the charge of Bro. Darius Smith, that the company present were amply supplied, and an abundant provision remained for the needy, to whom it was distributed.

BRAINTREE.

TOWN MEETING.—At the town meeting held on Monday last, the officers elected were as follows:

Moderator, Asa French. Selectmen, Assessors, and Overseers of Poor, D. H. Bates, N. H. Hunt, Abijah Allen. School Com., three yrs., A. Mason, Rev. L. W. Allen; two years, Noah Torrey, A. S. Morrison; one year, Dr. T. H. Dearing, E. Avery. Constables, Thomas Penniman, Horace Faxon, J. W. W. Rowell, N. M. Hobart, J. R. Brasier, Jechonias Penniman. Collector, Dr. Torrey. Auditors, Charles H. Hobart, Edward Hobart, 2d, A. Mason. Measurer of Leather, R. Porter, Jr. Weighers of Hay, Jos. Dyer, Jr., Chas. W. Proctor, R. E. Morrison, A. W. Stetson. Weighers of Coal, Minot Newton, Joseph Dyer Jr., C. W. Proctor, R. E. Morrison. Surveyors of Lumber, F. G. Crosby, Chas. W. Hobart. Nathaniel White. Pound Keeper, Samuel Veasie. Surveyors of Wood, J. R. Frasier, B. V. Arnold, Thomas Penniman, Richmond Thayer, A. W. Stetson, C. W. Proctor, J. M. Arnold, Jos. Dyer, Jr., E. W. Dailey, H. M. Hollis. Measurer of Grain, Orace Allen. Field Drivers, Thatcher White, A. O. Clark, C. G. Richards, C. R. Smith, B. V. Arnold, E. C. Bowditch, J. M. Willis, R. E. Morrison, R. Porter, Jr., Hiram Kelley, J. S. Dyer, Ira Stranger, Moses Hunt, Albert Hobart, Asa T. Pratt, Ralph Arnold, J. Vinton. Fence Viewers, J. R. Frazier, S. W. Hollis, Phillips Curtis. Fire Wards, P. Curtis, H. Faxon, W. F. Locke, S. A. Bates, J. S. Dyer, T. C. Stoddard, R. Porter, Jr., T. Penniman, Iram Vinton, E. Hobart, 2d, E. Arnold, L. W. Hobart.

The appropriations voted were for schools, $6000; poor, 3000; highways and bridges, $3000; town debt, $3000; town officers, $800; miscellaneous $500; school houses, $3000; widening Union street, $1000; for new seats in Iron Works school-house, $500. Total $23,100.

The total expenditures for last year were $31,918.87. No. of marriages solemnized was 41. No. of deaths, 60.

COHASSET.—We learn from Solomon J. Beal, Esq., one of the Committee in charge of the preparations for the Centennial anniversary of the organization of the town, which occurs on the 7th of May next, that the programme of exercises includes an oration by Judge Russell, addresses and music, with an A 1 dinner. The exercises will be held in a tent to be erected on the Common.

At the town meeting last Monday, the Selectmen and Assessors elected were J. Q. A. Lothrop, Martin Lincoln, Louis M. Lincoln; Overseers of Poor, J. Q. A. Lothrop, Lot Bates, Caleb Beal, Jr. $4000 was appropriated for schools, 2000 for roads, 9000 for other expenses, and $500 for Centennial anniversary.

All the streets in Cohasset have been named.

The Murray Sabbath School Union will meet with the Universalist Society at Hingham next Sunday evening at half past six o'clock.

BRAINTREE.—On Saturday of last week, Mr. George Lane on resigning his clerkship at the manufactory of Loring, Seard & Co., was made the recipient of a beautiful Bible, by his associates. Mr. Lane has always enjoyed the confidence and respect of the operatives and his leaving will be sincerely regretted.

W.

GOLD IS FALLING, and the prices of goods at D. B. Brooks & Bros., 55 Washington street, Boston, have been reduced in corresponding ratio. Their stock of Diaries is offered at unusually low rates, while stationery, pens, pencils, etc., share in the reduction. The Congress Record Ink made by them is a general favorite.

The seventeenth anniversary of the First Baptist Sunday School of Weymouth will be observed next Sunday afternoon. There will be speaking, singing, &c., by the children, and short addresses by speakers from at home and abroad.

DEATH OF AN AGED LADY.—Mrs. Hannah Crauch Bond, widow of the late Noah Fifield, M. D., formerly of Weymouth, died at the residence of her son, Dr. Wm. C. B. Fifield, at Harrison Square, last Tuesday. Mrs. F. was 83 years of age.

POSTPONED.—On account of the storm on Monday evening last, the Temperance Lecture of Rev. S. H. Hayes, at Lincoln Hall was postponed to Monday evening next, at the Baptist vestry. At that time steps will be taken to form an open temperance organization. All are invited. Clergymen of the different religious societies will please give notice of this meeting from their pulpits next Sunday.

Dea. Josiah Reed has transferred the manufacturing business which has been carried on by him in the shop of the late Asa French, to South Weymouth.

EAST WEYMOUTH.—The social entertainment held in Canterbury's hall, on Thursday and Friday evenings of last week, was well attended, and the nett proceeds were about $275. The entertainments consisted of music, tableaux, and addresses, with refreshments.

A public temperance meeting will be held in Shaw's Hall next Monday evening.

The lot purchased by the Catholics of Mr. Bela French for a church, was sold for $1500.

THE NEW CHURCH EDIFICE.—The Methodist Episcopal church met last Wednesday evening, in Washburn's Hall, together with other persons interested in the erection of a new church. The committee on subscriptions reported that subscriptions for building had been obtained to the amount of eight thousand dollars, and the church voted to procure the lot of land belonging to Z. L. Bicknell, west of Mr. Washburn's residence, on Broad street, and the Trustees were instructed to build a church upon the lot.

AN ANCIENT TAX DEMAND.—Capt. B. Pratt, of North Weymouth, has furnished us with the copy of a document levying a tax on the residents of Weymouth, in 1780, by which it will be seen that "the fathers" were required to pay a generous contribution toward defraying public charges. The document is as follows:—

State of Massachusetts-Bay.

The honorable HENRY GARDNER, Esq. Treasurer and Receiver-General of the said State. To the Selectmen or Aſſeſſors of the Town of Weymouth, Greeting, &c.

In Obedience to an Act of the Great and General Court or Aſſembly of ſaid State, began and held at Boſton, on Wedneſday the thirty-firſt Day of May, A. D. 1780, and continued by Adjournment to the ſeventh Day of September, 1780, intitled, "An Act for apportioning and aſſeſſing a Tax of Five Millions Six Hundred and One Thouſand and Twenty ſix Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Four Pence, upon the ſeveral Towns and other Places in this State herein after named, for defraying the public Charges; and for carrying into Execution the Reſolves of Congreſs of the Eighteenth of March, 1780."

These are in the Name of the Government and People of the State of Maſſachuſetts-Bay, to will and require you forthwith to aſſeſs the Sum of Twenty-Six Thouſand Six Hundred Pounds, ſet upon your Town, Pariſh or Place, in the Manner following. *That is to ſay,* To aſſeſs all Male Polls above the age of Sixteen Years, within your reſpective Town or Places next adjoining to them, belonging to no other Town or Place, including Negroes or Mulattoes (and ſuch of them as are under the Government of a Maſter or Miſtreſs, to be taxed to the ſaid Maſter or Miſtreſs reſpectively, in the ſame Manner as Minors or Apprentices are taxed) at *Twenty Pounds*; and to aſſeſs the Remainder of the Sum ſet to each Town, after deducting the Amount of the Sums aſſeſſed to the Polls as aforeſaid, on the Inhabitants of your Town or Place as aforeſaid, according to the Proportion of the juſt Value of the whole Real Eſtate by each Inhabitant of your Town or other Place reſpectively poſſeſſed in his own right or in the Right of others, lying within your Town or Place, improved or not improved; and on Non-reſident Poſſeſſors of Real Eſtate, lying within your Town or Place, in their own Right or in the Right of others, improved or not improved, ſaving all Agreements between Landlords and Tenants; and where no Agreement is, the Landlord to reimburſe one Half of the Tax; and alſo on the Inhabitants of ſuch Town or Place, according to the Proportion of the Amount and juſt Value of their whole Perſonal Eſtate, including Money at Intereſt more than they pay Intereſt for; Debts due to them not on Intereſt, more than they are indebted; Monies of all Kinds on Hand; and alſo the Amount of the juſt Value of all Goods Wares and Merchandize, Stock in Trade, Veſſels of all Sorts, with their Stores, Appurtenances and Appendages, Plate, Horses, Oxen and Cattle of all Sorts and Ages, Sheep, Swine, Grain of all ſorts, and all Kinds of Produce of the Land, and all other Property whatſoever (excepting Houſehold Furniture, Wearing-Apparel, Farming Utenſils, and the Tools of Mechanics) and on the Amount of all incomes and Profits gained by trading by Sea and on Shore, and by Means of Advantages ariſing from the War and the Neceſſities of the Community: And in conſidering the Incomes and Profits laſt mentioned, the Aſſeſſors are to have ſpecial Regard to the Way and Manner in which the ſame have been made, as well as Quantum thereof, and to aſſeſs them at ſuch Rate as they on their Oaths ſhall judge to be juſt and reaſonable; provided they do not in any Caſe aſſeſs ſuch Incomes and Profits at more than ten Times the Sum of the ſame Amount in other Kinds of Eſtate. And you are required in determining the Quantity and Number of the ſeveral Kinds of Property, and the Amount of the Incomes before enumerated to each Individual belonging, on the Fifteenth Day of *October*, 1780, and the current Price of the Real and Perſonal Eſtate on the ſaid Fifteenth Day of *October*, 1780, in the Currency of theſe States, ſhall be conſidered as the juſt Value of ſame. You are likewiſe required, in ſome convenient Time, previous to the levying the Aſſeſſment as aforeſaid, in Time and Manner as the Law directs, to give Notice thereof to the Inhabitants of your Town or other Place, to bring in unto you true and perfect Liſts of their Polls and Eſtates: You are likewiſe required to make a fair liſt of ſaid aſſeſſment ſetting forth in diſtinct Columns againſt each Perſon's Name, how much he or ſhe is aſſeſſed at for Polls, and how much for Perſonal Eſtate as aforeſaid; and if as Guardian or for any Eſtate in his or her Improvement in Truſt, to be diſtinctly expreſſed; and expreſly inſert in the Rate-Bils the number of Acres of unimproved Lands you ſhall have taxed Non-reſident Proprietors, and the Value at which you have eſtimated the ſame; And the Liſt or Liſts ſo and every other Way perfected, agreeable to ſaid Act, and ſigned by you, or the major Part of you, to commit to the Collector or Collectors, Conſtable or Conſtables, of your Town, Pariſh, or Place; and to return a Certificate of the Name or Names of ſuch Collector or Collectors, Conſtable or Conſtables, with the Sum Total to each of them committed, unto Myſelf, ſome Time before the Fifteenth Day of *November* next. Hereof you are not to fail, as you will answer your Neglect at the Peril of the Law.

Given under my Hand and Seal at Boſton, the Twenty-fourth Day of October, in the Year of our Lord One Thouſand Seven Hundred and Eighty.

H. GARDNER.

THE "WOMAN'S SUFFRAGE" movement at Hyde Park was the occasion of much excitement at the town meeting in that place on Monday, when the ladies connected with the movement deposited their ballots for town officers.

The woman's ticket was called the "Citizens'," and was labelled "Women's Regular Nomination, Hyde Park, March 7, 1870." While the voting was progressing in the hall and when about half the audience had given their verdict upon town officers, the Moderator addressed the meeting stating that

A DELEGATION OF LADIES

had requested him to ask the meeting for permission to be allowed to enter the hall and vote in their own way for town officers.

A proposition to take a vote on the subject was made, but before it could be acted upon a commotion was visible near the entrance, and the females entered the hall amid great confusion, shouts of laughter and yells of nearly every description hailing the party as they entered in single file, deposited their votes in a ballot near the door and departed. As they passed through, the crowd surged forward, everybody being anxious to see how the thing would go on, and so great was the crowd upon the platform that the elevated structure settled down several inches with its load. Applause, laughter and hisses were used without stint during the onward march of the women, some of whom appeared to be rather timid about entering the hall and having four or five hundred pairs of eyes directed at them; but the principal movers in the cause urged them on, and nearly fifty deposited their ballots. While they were passing through, the Moderator threatened with arrest those of the audience who were creating the noises, and he took them to task very sharply for their conduct.

The votes were counted by one of the "ladies' men," but of course were not counted as legal votes for town officers. Three or four bouquets were placed upon the ballot box and afterwards upon the table in the hall. The women warmly congratulated each other upon their success.

Washington, D. C., Feb 26, 1870.

Mr Editor:—The admission of Hiram R. Revels, the Colored Senator elect from the state of Mississippi to the seat in the United States Senate yesterday (Friday) is another evidence of the great principles governing the Republican Statesmen of our Country. Prejudice alone could urge the political opponents of the party of progress to oppose the recognition of the claim of this distinguished representative of a people so long held in bondage. By the acceptance of the credentials of Mr. Revels the Senate has set its verdict against the opinion so long entertained in reference to the Dred Scott decision. Rising above the narrow views of selfish aspirants the Senate has by the admission of Mr. Revels declared that all distinction on account of race or color is forever blotted from the future record of our National Legislature. It is no longer a question whether the negro or the Caucasian shall represent American freemen in Congress. It is for the people of the States to elect whom they please, and citizenship, not color, will alone determine the eligibility of the duly elected representatives of States and congressional districts hereafter.

T. T.

Song—St. Patrick's Day.

O Paddy, me hearty, just spake to McCarty,
Then quickly turn out and just pull on yer clogs
We'll swing the shelaleigh and dance away gaily
Bad luck to ould Englanc, we're out of the bogs
To Dock Square, Twenty-Five, then, we'll hasten to go,
Where Richards is selling his Clothing so low,
With his fur beaver Overcoats none can compare,
Buy of Richards, he always will deal with you fair.
All ye brave sons of Erin, just hear what I'm saying;
These are facts which I state, on your oath you can swear;
Don't worry and always be high prices paying,
But buy of Geo. Richards, Twenty-Five in Dock Square.

"VIDE ET CREDE." Attention is directed to the advertisement in another column of the "Union Carpet Co.," a new house just established in Boston.

AN EMINENT DIVINE says, "I have been using the Peruvian Syrup. It gives me a new vigor, buoyancy of spirits, elasticity of muscle." J. P. Dinsmore, 36 Dey Street, New York, will send free, a pamphlet of 32 pages, containing a full account of this remarkable medicine, to any one sending him their address.

It is a rare thing that physicians give any countenance to a medicine, the manufacture of which is a secret. About the only exception we know of is *Johnson's Anodyne Liniment.* This we believe all endorse, and many of them use it in their practice with great success.

Persons requiring purgatives or pills should be careful what they buy. Some pills not only cause griping pains, but leave the bowels in a torpid, costive state. *Parsons' Purgative Pills* will relieve the bowels and cleanse the blood without injury to the system.

Marriages and Deaths.

DIED,

In North Weymouth, March 5, of congestion of brain, Mr. Charles E. Briggs, aged 25 years 5 months—formerly a member of the 14th Mass. Battery.

In Harrison Square, Dorchester, March 8, Mrs Hannah Crauch Bond, widow of the late Noah Fifield, M. D., of Weymouth, aged 83 yrs.

Business Notices.

DANCING SCHOOL NOTICE.

The next Dancing School AND ASSEMBLY

Will be held NEXT MONDAY EVENING, March 14th, instead of Tuesday Evening, as previously announced.

Dancing School from 7 1-2 to 8 1-2 o'clock.—Assemblies from 8 1-2 to 12 o'clock, in Lincoln Hall, Weymouth.

Tickets to Assemblies, 50 cents.

The Dancing public are invited.

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Had Mrs. Augustus Weston, of Duxbury, Mass., spoken, for *three months*. Mr. Weston says:—"My wife had doctors, and tried various kinds of medicine, all to no effect. I bought a bottle of Lydiard's Lung Compound, for which they laughed at me, and in *less than three days*, her voice was fully restored."

For Coughs, Colds, Whooping Cough, Sore Throat, Hoarseness, Bronchitis, and all pulmonary affections, it is a great remedy; fail not to test it.

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For *Bronchitis, Asthma, Catarrh, Consumptive and Throat Diseases*, they have a soothing effect.

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Owing to the good reputation and popularity of the Troches, many *worthless and cheap imitations are offered, which are good for nothing.*—Be sure to OBTAIN the *true*

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Hoofland's German Bitters per Bottle,		$1 00
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Do do Tonic, put up in qt. bottles,		1 50
per bottle, or a half dozen for		7 50

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As mankind, from indiscretion or other causes, has been doomed to suffer from disease, so also has a remedy for diseases been provided. Our hills and valleys abound with roots and herbs, which if scientifically prepared and compounded, will restore health and vigor to the invalid. To find such a remedy we should seek one that has stood the test of age.

Hoofland's German Bitters

was placed before the public thirty years ago, with all the prejudice of so called "patent medicine" operating against it; but gradually its virtues became known, and now, to-day, it stands at the head of all preparations of its class, with the indorsement of eminent judges, lawyers, clergymen and physicians.

Read the following symptoms, and if you find that your system is affected by any of them, you may rest assured that disease has commenced its attack on the most important organs of your body and unless soon checked by the use of powerful remedies, a miserable life soon terminating in death will be the result:

Constipation, Flatulence, Inward Piles, Fullness of blood to the Head, Acidity of the Stomach, Nausea, Heartburn, Disgust for food, Fullness of weight in the Stomach, Sour Eructations, Sinking or Fluttering at the pit of the Stomach, Swimming of the head, Hurried or Difficult Breathing, Fluttering at the Heart, Choking or Suffocation Sensations when in a Lying Posture, Dimness of Vision, Dots or Webs before the Sight, Dull Pain in the Head, Deficiency of P[illegible], Yellowness of the Skin and Eyes, Pain in the Side, Back, Chest, Limbs, etc., Sudden Flushes of Heat, Burning in the Flesh, Constant Imaginings of Evil and Great Depression of Spirits. All these indicate diseases of the Liver or Digestive organs combined with impure blood.

HOOFLAND'S GERMAN BITTERS

Is entirely vegetable, and contains no liquor. It is a compound of Fluid Extracts. The Roots, Herbs and Barks from which these extracts are made are gathered in Germany; all the medicinal virtues are extracted from them by a scientific chemist. These extracts are then forwarded to this country to be used expressly for the manufacture of this Bitters. There is no alcoholic substance of any kind used in compounding the Bitters, hence it is free from all the objections incident to the use of a liquor preparation.

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Is a combination of all the ingredients of the Bitters, with pure Santa Cruz Rum, Orange, etc. It is used for the same diseases as the Bitters, in cases where some pure Alcoholic Stimulant is required.

TESTIMONY

Like the following was never before offered in behalf of any medicinal preparation.

HON. GEO. W. WOODWARD,
Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania, writes:

PHILADELPHIA, March 16, 1869.

I find "Hoofland's German Bitters" is a good tonic, useful in diseases of the digestive organs, and of great benefit in cases of debility, and want of nervous action in the system. Yours truly,

GEO. W. WOODWARD.

HON. JAMES THOMPSON,
Judge of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania.

PHILADELPHIA, April 28, 1866

I consider Hoofland's German Bitters a valuable medicine in case of attacks of Indigestion or Dyspepsia. I can certify this from my experience of it. Yours, with respect,

JAMES THOMPSON.

HON. GEO. SHARSWOOD,
Justice of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania,

PHILADELPHIA, June 1, 1868.

I have found by experience that Hoofland's German Bitters is a very good tonic, relieving dyspeptic symptoms almost immediately.

GEO. SHARSWOOD.

CAUTION.

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The Three Remedies, "SCHENCK'S PULMONIC SYRUP," for the cure of Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis and every form of Consumption. The peculiar action of this medicine ripens the ulcers in the lungs, promotes the discharge of the corrupt matter by expectoration, purifies the blood, and thus cures Consumption, when every other remedy fails.

"SCHENCK'S SEA-WEED TONIC," for the cure of Dyspepsia or Indigestion, and all diseases arising from debility. This tonic invigorates the digestive organs, supplies the place of the gastric juice when that is deficient, and then enables the patient to digest the most nutritious food. It is a sovereign remedy for all cases of indigestion.

"SCHENCK'S MANDRAKE PILLS," one of the most valuable medicines ever discovered, being a vegetable substitute for calomel, and having all the useful properties ascribed to that mineral, without producing any of its injurious effects.

To these three medicines Dr. J. H. Schenck, of Philadelphia, owes his unrivaled success in the treatment of Pulmonic Consumption. The Pulmonic Syrup ripens the morbid matter, discharges it, and purifies the blood. The Mandrake Pills act upon the liver, removes all obstructions therefrom, give the organ a healthy tone, and cure Liver Complaint, which is one of the most prominent causes of Consumption. The Seaweed Tonic invigorates the powers of the stomach, and by strengthening the digestion and bringing it to a normal and healthy condition improves the quality of the blood, by which means the formation of ulcers or tubercles in the lungs becomes impossible. The combined action of these medicines, as thus explained, will cure every case of Consumption, if the remedies are used in time, and the use of them is persevered in sufficiently to bring the case to a favorable termination.

Dr. Schenck's Almanac, containing a full treatise on the various forms of disease, his mode of treatment, and general directions how to use his medicine, can be had gratis or sent by mail by addressing his Principal Office, No. 15 North Sixth street, Philadelphia, Pa.

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Gives strength, vigor, and new life to the whole system. Mrs. J. H. Kelley, of No. Bridgewater, says, "I must have some of Lydiard's Invigorator at once. I cannot do without it." All praise, and say it far excels other like articles. Sold in Weymouth at the drug stores. 3245

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They penetrate the secret abode of this terrible disease, and exterminate it, root and branch, forever.

They alleviate more agony and silent suffering than tongue can tell.

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It is the vital principle of the Pine Tree, obtained by a peculiar process in the distillation of the tar, by which its highest medical properties are retained. It invigorates the digestive organs and restores the appetite. It strengthens the debilitated system. It purifies and enriches the blood, and expels from the system the corruption which scrofula breeds on the lungs. It dissolves the mucus or phlegm which stops the air passages of the lungs. It is the result of years of study and experiment, and it is offered to the afflicted with positive assurance of its power to cure the following diseases, if the patient has not had too long delayed a resort to the means of cure:—

Consumption of the Lungs, Cough, Sore Throat and Breast, Bronchitis, Liver Complaint, Blind and Bleeding Piles, Asthma, Whooping Cough and Diptheria, &c.

A medical expert, holding honorable collegiate diplomas, devotes his entire time to the examination of patients at the office parlors. Associated with him are three consulting physicians of acknowledged eminence, whose services are given to the public FREE OF CHARGE.

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Letters from any part of the country, asking advice, will be promptly and gratuitously responded to. Where convenient, remittances should take the shape of

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MONDAY & TUESDAY,

MARCH 21st & 22d, 1870.

DISEASES OF THE EYE.

DISEASES OF THE EYELIDS

Are very common. If scales come from their edges, or their margins are habitually red, perhaps swollen, with, may be, a loss of the eyelashes, or little festers among their roots, while these symptoms are accompanied by a blurring of the sight, which is relieved by closing of the eyelids, or pressing upon them, it is a disease of the lids, and can be cured. We treat thousands of such cases every year.

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If little bunches, remaining for a length of time, are seen or felt beneath the skin of the eyelids, they are probably tumerous, and can be cured.

Sometimes the eyelids turn out, making the continuance unseemly, often hideous, and entailing much distress upon the sufferer. A skillful operation will restore the lids to their place, remove the deformity, and relieve the smarting, scalding and distressing diseases. Frequently

IN-TURNING EYELIDS,

Tipping the eyelashes upon the ball, produce the most exquisite distress and unceasing misery, while the constant chafing and irritation render blindness more or less complete.

Pulling the hair out only relieves for the moment, to add to the torment, for the reproduced hairs are sharper and more aggravating than their predecessors.

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WATERING EYES.

If the eyes water on using them, or on riding in the wind, we may expect trouble with the tear passage. An entirely *closed tear duct* causes, in addition to the above symptoms, a little sack or bag at the inner corner of the eye, to become filled with matter, which may be pressed out with the finger. Sometimes this sack inflames, ulcerates and causes blindness or out-turning eyelids. The best professional advice should be sought at once.

ACUTE INFLAMMATION OF THE EYE

May be occasioned by a cold, foreign substances, contagion or direct violence, and frequently follows scarlet fever or measels. The white of the eye becomes swollen, is covered with a fine net work of blood vessels; the transparent part of the eye becomes hazy, the lids are bathed with tears and pus, light distresses and neuralgic pains may shoot through the temples and forehead.

SCROFULOUS ULCERATION OF THE EYE.

This disease has all the symptoms just described, while a little band of red veins upon the *transparent part of the eye*, leading to a pustule of excavation, shows the ulcer, which, unless arrested, may soon destroy the eye.

In children, this form of disease is most common, and the pain occasioned by light, the most excessive. I have seen starlight almost throw such patient into convulsions.

We cure thousands of such cases yearly, and we see thousands of those whose sight is forever lost, through the carelessness of their physician, ignorance of their advisers, or their own or parents' neglect. Sometimes we have been affected to tears by the pitiable cases brought before us, lasting monuments of neglect or sordidness.

PTERYGIUM

Is a thin fleshy growth, gradully obscuring the sight.

Patients should apply to us early, in this disease, if they want to retain their sight.

GRANULATED LIDS

Often occasion inflammation of the eyes.—On everting the lids, the whole of their under side may be found covered with pimples or granulations, which chafe, irritate, and finally destroy the eyeball, by their continued scratchings. Such cases require constitutional and local treatment, and although remarkably obstinate in the hands of many we always cure them speedily and permanently.

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Are of frequent occurrence. Their accurate description would require more space than we can bestow in this communication. Any sufferer from these complaints should seek an interview with us at once. To delay, is to trifle with sight, and to provoke a fate worse than death itself, even blindness. We cannot close our remarks without cautioning those suffering from eye diseases, against procrastination or delay—against the indiscriminate use of harsh and debilitating remedies that may be recommended by ignorant, though well meaning advisers—against confiding those organs, which confer the greatest boon upon mankind, to the care of inexperienced physicians, or to the illiterate quack. The treatment of eye diseases is founded upon common sense.—Use what you have in choosing the physician with whom to entrust your eyes, go to those who have the most experience, and the greatest skill, and trust all to them and the kindness of an overruling Providence.

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DISEASES OF THE EAR.

Blind men have become great, and history hands down their names with pride; but who ever heard of a deaf man celebrated for his eloquence, poetry, art, travel, or self earned wealth? Yet deafness is treated as a trifling complaint; few physicians know aught of its treatment, while to the multitude its causes are indeed unknown. One reason for this ignorance undoubtedly is, that without appropriate instruments the ear is never seen, and patients can only judge by symptoms, and not by sight. We cannot put an instrument into every man's hand, but we can give a description of certain diseases whereby he may recognize them.

NOISES IN THE HEAD

Are so common as to seldom alarm, and yet they are very annoying, sometimes almost driving one crazy. Sometimes they resemble the hissing of steam, the roar of a distant waterfall, the tinkling of a bell, waves on the seashore, or the sighing of the wind. Such noises have great significance. They tell of chronic inflammation going on, of certain deafness in the future. Its approach is slow, but none the less sure. Sometimes it heralds serious troubles with the brain, as apoplexy, inflammation, or paralysis. Never neglect its warnings; seek the advice of the best aurist at once.

FOREIGN SUBSTANCES IN THE EAR

Often occasion such noises, and frequently the most distressing pain, with deafness.—We have removed grains of corn, peas, pens, pins, pencils, insects, and cotton, (thoughtlessly crowded in years before,) from ears. Removal, from their shape and size, is often extremely difficult, and we have repeatedly seen the hearing entirely lost by continued efforts of some kind friend or well-meaning physician, who had destroyed the ear drum through the want of proper instruments or necessary skill.

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ITCHING IN THE EAR,

Accompanied by dry scales or scabs, with perhaps a fetid moisture or occasionally small boils, are the symptoms of an ear disease which is very annoying, and frequently occasions deafness. Patients should call on us at once and not neglect it.

EXCESSIVE SECRETION OF EAR WAX

Or a diminished supply, often precede deafness. These symptoms should be attended to at once.

INFLAMMATION OF AUDITORY TUBE

Is accompanied by violent and excessive pain. Continued noises distress, the ear swells, and matter, sooner or later, forms the discharge which brings relief, until some slight cause again occasions an attack.—Patients should attend to this disease in time, for total deafness often ensues, and treatment frequently saves a succession of these attacks.

A RUNNING FROM THE EAR.

A discharge from the ear is by far the most frequent of all aural diseases, but whether owing to the variableness of our climate, the prevalence of a scrofulous taint, or to neglect, it is difficult to say. It is essentially a disease of infancy and youth, seldom appearing in middle life, and still less frequently in advanced years, and although adults often suffer, it is generally found the discharge, if not of very recent date, came on years before. In the majority of patients, the disease has been of many years continuance, and we can only wonder how sensible men and refined women go through life, unconcerned, with such a loathsome disease about them.

TEETHING.

The sudden subsidence of an attack of sore eyes, scarlet fever, measles, the effects of colds or scrofulous gatherings, usually usher in this tedious complaint, although the discharge sometimes commences without pain, a slight moisture, of unpleasant smell, on the finger, (inserted to relieve an itching,) being the first symptom noticed.

The ears of patients presented for treatment are generally filled with slimy mucopurulent, ropy fluid, of a greenish yellow color and fetid smell, protruding through which appears, in many cases, a red fungus or a pale fibrous polypus, or, perhaps, wriggling maggots. Often we find that the small bones of the ear have been discharged, or decayed pieces of the skull itself have come away. Sometimes fistulous openings behind the ear discharge brown, fetid matter. At other times the moter portion of the seventh pair of nerves becomes affected, and paralysis of one-half of the face takes place; and we have repeatedly known *insanity* and *death* to end the neglected disease, thought so lightly of by the public, (and too often by the profession.) and described as "only a running from the ear." Wild, in his excellent treatise on the ear, remarks that "so long as a discharge is present, we never can tell how, when or where it will end."

OTORRHŒA

Is the name usually applied by aural surgeons to the disease just described, and practitioners, in prescribing for it, too often forget that the discharge which accompanies it is merely a symptom of the affection, and *not* the disease itself. Another mistake which is often committed, is the belief that the malady upon which the discharge depends will, in time, disappear spontaneously, or that the patient, especially if a child, will gradually outgrow it. Such an opinion is as *absurd* as it is culpable, and cannot be too severely censured.—The poor patient, confiding in the judgment of his medical adviser, goes on from bad to worse, until, awakening from his dream, he finds that his ear is completely disorganized and that he is irremediably deaf.

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CATARRHAL DEAFNESS

Is brought on by a cold or a succession of colds. The ears feel stopped, noises in the head distress the ear, eustachean tubes are closed, and the hearing is impaired. Chronic catarrh and throat disease generally occasion deafness; coming on slowly, the patient is unconscious of it, and only discovers it finally by accident. Sufferers cannot be cautioned too earnestly against neglecting this form of disease.

NERVOUS DEAFNESS

Often comes on instantly, is seldom attended with pain, and is often hereditary. It frequently follows brain or typhoid fevers, blows or sudden shocks, the pressure of diseased bone, the inordinate use of quinine, plethora, debility, the irritation of the bowels and stomach, and many other causes. Such cases are not always beyond hope and the advice of a skillful aurist should be speedily sought.

There are many other forms of ear diseases than those described, but their symptoms are obscure and not readily recognized by the non-professional reader. We would again urge upon sufferers from any aural disease, (and as the experience of twelve years of the largest practice in ear diseases in America,) the necessity of prompt treatment in this class of complaints. It is procrastination that shrouds the case from hope, more than the nature of the disease itself. Apply to us early, and we can cure you; delay, and only a divine power can help you.

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Biliousness,	Dyspepsia,	Dizziness,
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DAVID WHITON,
FAYETTE TORREY,
E. L. RIPLEY,
and thirty-nine others.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.
Secretary's Department,
Boston, Feb. 23, 1870.

I approve the publication of the above petition in the Boston Daily Journal, Weymouth Gazette and Quincy Patriot.

4344 OLIVER WARNER, Secretary.

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N. B.—Pay for Machines received by instalments. 38

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts

NORFOLK, SS.

BY the County Commissioners.

At a meeting of said Commissioners held at Dedham, in and for said County, on the 11th day of February, A. D. 1870, by adjournment of the December meeting next preceding,

Upon the petition of Elnathan Bates and others, of Weymouth, in said County, representing that so much of Commercial street, so called, in said Weymouth, as lies between the dwelling-house of William Wilder and the store of Messrs Bicknell Brothers, ought to be widened and straightened, and praying for such alterations therein as may seem expedient: and as set forth in said petition (notice having been first duly given to all persons and corporations interested,) said Commissioners met at the store of said Elnathan Bates, in North Weymouth, on the twenty-sixth day of August, A. D. 1869, and viewed the route and premises, and heard all persons and corporations interested, and said case was thence continued and adjourned to the regular September meeting next ensuing, and thence to this meeting; and said Commissioners now adjudge that the public convenience and necessity require that said petition be granted.

On the adjudication aforesaid, Ordered, that the County Commissioners will meet at the store of Elnathan Bates, in North Weymouth, in said County, on TUESDAY, the fifth day of April, A. D. 1870, at ten o'clock A. M., and thence proceed to view and locate the widenings, straightenings, and alterations in said street, and determine the questions of land damages arising therefrom, and take such order in relation to said adjudication as by law they may be authorized to do; and that an attested copy of said adjudication, with this order thereon, be served upon the Clerk of the Town of Weymouth, thirty days at least before the time appointed for said meeting, and also that a true copy be published three weeks successively in the Weymouth Weekly Gazette, a newspaper printed in said Weymouth, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before said day of meeting; and that the copies be posted up in two or more public places in said town of Weymouth, fourteen days at least before said day of meeting, that all persons and corporations interested may then and there appear and be heard if they see cause so to do.

By the County Commissioners.
ERASTUS WORTHINGTON, Clerk.
A true copy of Adjudication on file, and order thereon.
Attest,
ERASTUS WORTHINGTON, Clerk.
2346

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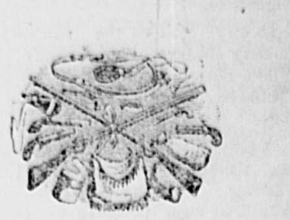

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

{L. S.} TO THOMAS GRIFFIN, of Braintree, in the County of Norfolk, and to any and all other persons claiming any interest in about one gallon of whiskey, in three bottles, which, by virtue of a warrant issued by me, have been seized at the dwelling-house of said Griffin, in said Braintree, on the third day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy, the value of which liquors, with the vessels containing them, does not, in my opinion, exceed twenty dollars.

You are hereby required to appear before me at my office, in Weymouth, in said County of Norfolk, at 3 o'clock P. M., on the twenty-first day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy, to answer to the complaint against said liquors and the vessels containing them, and for trial, and to show cause, if any you have, why said liquors and the vessels containing them should not be forfeited for being kept for sale by said Thomas Griffin, in violation of the laws of this Commonwealth.

Witness my hand and seal, at said Weymouth, this third day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy.

EVERETT C. BUMPUS, Trial Justice.
A true copy. Attest:
ANDREW J. GAREY,
44 45 Deputy State Constable.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

{L. S.} TO BRIDGET BOYLAN, of Weymouth, in the County of Norfolk, and to any and all other persons claiming any interest in about one gallon of whiskey, in one jug, which, by virtue of a warrant issued by me, have been seized at the dwelling-house of, said Boylan, in said Weymouth, on the eighteenth day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy, the value of which liquors, with the vessels containing them, does not in my opinion, exceed twenty dollars.

You are hereby required to appear before me at my office, in Weymouth, in said County, at three o'clock P. M., on the twenty-first day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy, to answer to the complaint against said liquors and the vessels containing them, and for trial, and to show cause, if any you have, why said liquors and the vessels containing them should not be forfeited for being kept for sale by said Bridget Boylan, in violation of the laws of this Commonwealth.

Witness my hand and seal, at said Weymouth, this eighteenth day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy.

EVERETT C. BUMPUS, Trial Justice.
A true copy. Attest:
ANDREW J. GAREY,
44 45 Deputy State Constable.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

{L. S.} TO JOSEPH SAUNDERSON, of Braintree, in the County of Norfolk, and to any and all other persons claiming any interest in about three gallons of whiskey, in two jugs, which by virtue of a warrant issued by me, have been seized at the dwelling-house of said Saunderson, in said Braintree, on the sixteenth day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy, the value of which liquors, with the vessels containing them, does not, in my opinion, exceed twenty dollars.

You are hereby required to appear before me, at my office in Weymouth, in said County, at three o'clock P. M., on the twenty-first day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy, to answer to the complaint against said liquors and the vessels containing them, and for trial, and to show cause, if any you have, why said liquors and the vessels containing them should not be forfeited for being kept for sale by said Saunderson, in violation of the laws of this Commonwealth.

Witness my hand and seal, at said Weymouth this sixteenth day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine.

EVERETT C. BUMPUS, Trial Justice.
A true copy. Attest:
ANDREW J. GAREY,
44 45 Deputy State Constable.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN.

THAT the subscriber has been duly appointed Administratrix of the estate of THOMAS A. KINGMAN, late of Weymouth, in the County of Norfolk, deceased, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

MARIA A. KINGMAN, Admx.
March 1, 1870. 44 46

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

THAT the subscribers have been duly appointed Administrators of the Estate of ELIJAH PIERCE, late of Weymouth, in the County of Norfolk, deceased, and have taken upon themselves that trust by giving bonds, as law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

E. C. PIERCE, } Administrators.
J. E. PIERCE, }
March 1, 1870. 44-46

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ELISHA PRATT, }
W. W. RAYMOND, } Selectmen of Weymouth.
JOHN BLANCHARD, }
WILLIAM CUSHING. }

Weymouth, Jan. 18, 1870. 38tf

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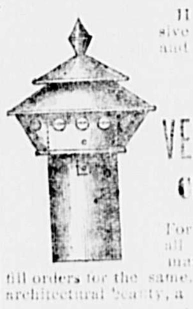

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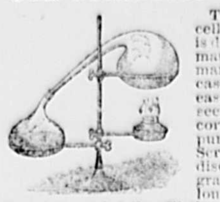

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Stoughton, 8.30 A. M.; 12.00 M.; 4.30, 5.40 PM

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Taunton, 8.30 A. M.; 12M.; 4.30, 5.30, P. M.

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North Bridgewater, 8.00, 11.00 A. M.; 3.30, 4.00, 6.00 P. M.

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Hanson, 7.10 9.56 am.; 4.11 pm.

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East Bridgewater, 7, 9.42 am.; 3.12 pm.

South Abington, 7.20, 10.05 am.; 4.20 pm.

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Cohasset, 6.20, 7.00, 8.10 a.m., 12.40, 4.15, 5.50 p. m.

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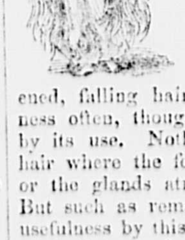

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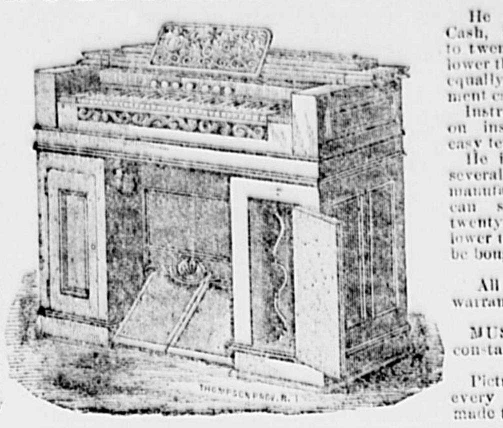

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JOLLY KYTS.

In former times there lived a poor man with such a small farm and such a large family that he could not make both ends meet; so he asked his wife what they should do.

'Kyts is our biggest boy,' said she; 'let him go into the wide world and make his fortune.'

'I don't mind,' said Kyts.

Then they gave him their blessings, and Kyts kissed them all round, and started on his travels. After a time he came to two roads, and, deliberating awhile, he took the road that looked the most sunny. Then he came to a place where there were four roads.

'Where do you want to go to?' said a man. 'I will show you the way.'

'No, thank you,' answered Kyts; 'one road is as good as another to me.' And he took the one that seemed prettiest.

All the way along the birds sang out with joy, the sun shone on all the world, and the winds blew sweet and cool; and Kyts went on with a light heart, and made a good supper off nuts and blackberries, drank the clear water of the brook, and lay down under a hedge to sleep.

'At least I am as well off as the birds,' said he; 'and they are happy enough.'

In the morning early a lark woke him up, and on he went whistling, with a gay heart, till he grew very hungry. But now he was through the wood, and had come to a town full of houses; so, as there was no dinner to be picked up for nothing in the streets, he went to the first inn, and sat down at a table.

'What would you like for dinner?' asked the host.

'That makes no odds,' said Kyts, 'for I've got a great appetite.'

So the host brought him a great piece of pie and a lot of good soup. It was the best dinner Kyts had ever had in his life. Then the host told him there were three silver pennies to pay.

'All right,' said Kyts; 'then you had better take it out of my wages, for I have come into the world to seek my fortune, and have not found it yet.'

'Why did you have dinner, then, if you had no money?' asked the host.

'Because I was hungry,' answered Kyts. 'But if you would rather not give me any work, never mind, I'll jog on.'

'No, said the host; 'you shall stay and clean out the pig-sty, and take care of the horses.'

'Very well,' answered Kyts, 'it makes no odds to me.'

He did his work with a light heart, till the horses and his master were quite fond of him, and he got a good dinner every day.

At the end of three months the host gave Kyts his wages, and said,--

"Double your wages will I give you, Kyts, if you will carry this letter to the lord mayor of the next town.'

'All right! I'll do it,' said Kyts; and off he started.

Now the letter was to tell the lord mayor that the people did not want any more wars. So this great lord went into a passion, and had Kyts put in prison. But Kyts was just as happy, and put his hands in his pockets or played at knuckle-bones, and whistled all day, except when he was eating his dinner.

'Why don't you mope like the others?' asked the jailor.

'Oh, one place is as good as another to me,' answered Kyts.

So the jailor took a liking to him, and asked him to help sweep the prison, and was not so careful in locking him up.

One day Kyts saw the prison-door open, and the sun shining outside.

'One place is just as good to me as another,' said Kyts, 'so I may as well walk out.'

So out he went, and took a long walk, and enjoyed it very much, and came at night to a country inn.

'There is only one bed left,' said the landlord.

'All right! I don't want two,' answered Kyts.

'But it is in the garret,' said the host, 'and is nothing but straw.'

'Never mind; I shall sleep sound,' replied Kyts.

But when he had eaten supper he felt so tired that he got into the first bed he could, and that was a feather bed in the next room, where the landlord slept.'

'This will do,' said Kyts. 'It's not worth while to jog up-stairs to the garret.'

But the landlord sat up till the middle of the night, and then crept softly up stairs to feel in Kyts' pockets, and to rob him. But though he searched all over the straw he could find no Kyts, and fell asleep in the garret, and early in the morning came down the garret-ladder in a bad humor, and fell over, and woke everybody up. Then Kyts found out where he was, and put on his clothes and slipped out of the window to save a fuss.

But as he journeyed on, it came to pass that, after several days, he found himself near to great armies.

'It will be a fine sight to see them fight,' he thought.

So he sat down in the sun and took some bread and cheese, and began to eat with a very good appetite. But very soon two captains came up to him, one from each army, and asked him which side he was on.

'Neither,' answered Kyts. 'I don't want to fight at all.'

'But you must,' said they; 'so choose your side.'

'No, thank you,' said Kyts; 'your war is no concern of mine, nor do I know what it is about, or what the two sides are.'

'All that makes no difference,' said they; 'choose your side, or else we will both kill you.' And, with these words, they both drew their swords.

'Very well; since I must fight, I will. I did not want to; but it makes no odds.'

'Well, which side do you choose?' they asked.

Then Kyts got up and looked around, and saw that one army was on the sunny side of a hill, and, moreover, was not so far off as the other army in the shade. So he chose the army in the sun, and found out afterwards that it was the side of the king and courtiers, the beadles and footmen; and that the other was the side of the lord mayors, bakers, tailors, and errand-boys; and that the war was to show who ought to get most money out of the people, and have the spending of it.

Well, on the very next day the battle began; and they gave Kyts a very big blunderbuss, and put him behind a tree, and told him to fire away with all his might. And so he did, and the very first shot hit a baker in the middle of his coat, for he saw the flour fly out, and then knocked over a little lean tailor, and, best of all, hit the lord mayor who had sent him to prison in the very middle of his fat waistcoat.

'Serves him right,' said Kyts; 'for if he had minded the letter, perhaps this war would not have happened.'

But after that shot the smoke was so thick that Kyts could not tell which men were tinkers and tailors, and which were footmen and courtiers. So he shot at them all alike, whichever were easiest to hit, and very many got his big bullets into them that day.

'It's all one to me,' said Kyts; 'but as I am in the war I may as well bang away till all my powder is gone.'

But by that time, when the smoke cleared up a little, he saw that the king's army was beaten, and that all his men were running away.

'So I will be off too,' said Kyts, 'for I don't see the use of being a prisoner.'

But he had not gone far when he saw a knight flat on the ground, with all his heavy armor on.

'Oh, help me up, or else they will kill me!' cried the knight.

'I don't see that that matters to me,' said Kyts; 'but still, here goes!' And, with those words, he lugged the knight up to his feet.

Then the two went on as fast as their legs could carry them, and got into a wood. But the other army came after them very fast, and shot down many of the king's men in the back; and at last four mighty men got near *Kyts* and the knight, and told them to get themselves up as prisoners, or else be killed.

'It matters no odds to me which,' cried *Kyts*; 'so let us fight and be killed.'

'Bravo!' cried the knight, and they rushed on to the four mighty men.

Now the four mighty men were all in armor like the knight, but *Kyts* had nothing but a thick club, so he could jump and dodge about twice as fast as any of them.

Clang, clang! whack, thwack! went the great swords, but *Kyts* dodged round a tree, and caught hold of the leg of a mighty man and tipped him right over. Now so heavy was his armor that he called out to another warrior to help him up; but as this one stooped down *Kyts* gave him so fine a blow with his club that he rolled over too.

Meanwhile, the knight was in deadly tussle with the other two. Clang, clang! whack, thwack! went the heavy swords, and a third warrior fell at the force of the blow, and the fourth warrior seized him by the neck, pulled out a dagger, and cried,—

'You are a dead man!'

With these words, *Kyts* gave him such a blow on his head that the fourth warrior rolled over stunned and silent.

'You have saved my life!' cried the knight.

'What shall I do?

'Help me to turn these heavy men over on their backs, and then they cannot get up till some one comes by.'

When this was done, *Kyts* helped the knight off with his armor, for he was wounded, and was not strong enough to carry it; and then the two went off quietly together through the wood, and came to the knight's castle.

Well, the next thing they heard was, that the king had made peace, and had given up the keys of his big money-boxes; and that everybody now might go about his business.

"Would you like to have a room in my castle, and live with me?" asked the knight.

"Very well," answered *Kyts*; "it makes no odds to me where I live. But my clothes are worn out."

"Take some of my clothes, if you like," said the knight.

"All right," answered *Kyts*; "they will do. If they want taking in a bit, that is easily done."

So *Kyts* lived at the castle many a long day, and went out hawking and fishing and shooting; and helped to get food for a very good dinner, and then helped every day to eat it.

"It makes no odds to me whether we shoot hare or deer, fowl or snipe," said *Kyts*; "so we may as well have all."

One day the knight asked him if he would not like to take a wife.

"No," said *Kyts*; "I am quite happy, and what can I be more?"

"Well, it makes no odds to me whether I am married or not," answered *Kyts*; "so I would not mind."

"Well, then, what lady shall it be?" asked the knight.

"I don't mind at all," answered *Kyts*; "one is just as good as another."

"Then suppose you marry my daughter, as you saved my life," said the knight.

"Well and good," answered *Kyts*.

So the knight went to his daughter, and told her all that had been said, and settled to marry her next day. So the next morning there stood the bride dressed all in white, with fine lace and rows of pearls, very beautiful to look upon, and *Kyts* walked by her side very well pleased. But as they walked on to the church, the lovely bride asked *Kyts* if he would mind some one else marrying her instead.

"Not at all," he answered. "Why should I?"

"Because," said she, "I have loved my cousin Gus with all my heart ever since I went into short clothes, and he loves me just as much. So, if you don't mind, as he is just behind, I will marry him instead."

"Just as you like," answered Kyts. So cousin Gus stepped forward in church, and married the lovely bride instead.

"How is this?" cried the knight, when he turned round and saw Gus and the lovely bride standing before the bishop, holding one another's hands.

But it was too late then; so at the marriage feast he asked Kyts if he would mind having a sack of money instead.

"Not at all," answered Kyts; "it is no more trouble to have money than to be without it, so I will have it."

Soon after Gus went to the king's court with his lovely bride, and they told the story of the marriage, and many other things about Jolly Kyts, and so he was invited to come to the court.

Now, the very night he came it happened that the king gave a great fete, at which there was so many nobles and officers and fine ladies that not a seat was to be found to see the fireworks; so when Kyts got tired of being pushed about in the crowd he climbed up a pole, and sat on a cross-piece of wood, where he could see every thing. But this pole was placed in the very middle of the fireworks; so when the rockets and squibs went off some of them nearly hit him.

"This is as bad as being in battle," said Kyts; "but never mind, I have a fine sight."

At last came the best sight of all, and this was a great catherine-wheel, fixed up just behind Kyts; so it looked to all the people as if it was a ring of glory all round him.

"Why, whoever is that in the midst of the fire?" said the king, coming up to the place when it was over.

"May it please your majesty, it is Kyts," said he, slipping down; "for there was no other seat to be got anywhere, and after all, one place is as good as another to me."

The king laughed at this, and said,—

"But it is a wonder, Kyts, you did not break your neck."

Then the king led the way to the ball-room, and all the courtiers and fine ladies began to dance.

"One partner is the same to me as another," said Kyts, so he went up to the princess and asked her.

"But who are you?" she asked.

"Kyts," said he.

"With all my heart, then," said she, "for I have heard of you from Gus and his bride. What shall we dance?"

"It makes no odds to me," answered Kyts, "for I have never learnt any dances at all."

"Then would you like to take a walk in the orange grove instead?" asked the princess.

'Just as you like,' said he; and he gave the lovely princess his arm, and took a walk with her in the orange grove and told her many of his adventures.

When they came back the bell rang for supper, and a grand young prince, in love with the princess, took her into the great hall. And in walked *Kyts* among the lords and nobles, and took a seat behind a very large pie.

'I have a fine appetite,' said *Kyts*, 'so this will suit me as well as anything.'

But when the pie was half gone, the king looked across the table, and there he saw *Kyts*.

'How dare you come here in the best place?' cried the king.

'It makes no odds to me where I sit,' answered *Kyts*.

'Odds, bobs! this is too much,' cried the king. 'My lords, drag this fellow out and never let him come to the court any more!'

'I may as well walk out, your majesty,' said *Kyts*, 'for it makes no odds to me which way I go.'

Then he left the great city, and took his sack of money with him, and bought a pretty cottage in a wood, and grew cabbages and flowers, and was as happy as the birds. But sad news soon came to him that there was a new war, and that the king's head was chopped off, because he was too proud and obstinate for the people, and that they wanted to kill the lovely princess too. Then *Kyts* remembered the orange grove, and started off to join the knight, and the rest of the dead king's army, outside the walls of the great city.

'Do you see that high tower?' said the knight. 'Well, the princess is in prison at the top little window, and we cannot get her out unless we take the great city, and that we cannot do.'

Then *Kyts* got a bag of long nails and a hammer, and put a rope round his waist and crept along to the bottom of the tower, and hammered one long nail in, and stood on that, and then another above that, and another, and another, like steps, all the way up to the little window at the top, and there he tied the long rope, and then looked in and saw the lovely princess, and asked her to come away and be saved. So she put on her shoes and her dress, and came to the window, and asked *Kyts* however he got up.

'It is all one to me whether I walk up steps inside a tower or outside,' answered *Kyts*.

So the lovely princess crept out of the window, and took firm hold on the rope, and put her feet on the long iron nails, and Kyts steadied her, and down they came safely and slowly.

'But now what am I to do?' said the princess.

'You can go to the other army,' answered Kyts.

'But then there will be another war,' said the princess. 'So I had rather hide somewhere right away. Can't you find a place Kyts?'

So he led her to his pretty cottage deep in the wood. Then she kissed him, and said,—

'Dear Kyts, I love you better than all the fine princes, for you are both brave and kind; so perhaps you would not mind marrying me, and here could we live very happily.'

'Very well,' said Kyts, 'just as you like for I love you better than any thing in the world.'

So he found a bishop who was running away in fear through the wood, and they were married, and lived together as happy as two pet birds. But after a time it came to the ears of the twenty lord mayors who now ruled in the great city instead of the king, that Kyts had married the princess; so they were very angry, and said it was a shame, for he was only a common fellow, and sent an army of fifty men, and took the princess, and shut her up in the tower again, and sentenced Kyts to be killed.

'Very well,' said Kyts, in the midst of the great hall of justice; 'it is all one to me. If you send me out of one world I shall go into another.'

'But this favor will we do you,' said the twenty fierce lord mayors; 'you may choose how you will die. Will you be shot or hanged, or poisoned?'

'It really does not make any odds,' he answered, 'so I may as well be poisoned.'

Now by this time everybody in the land had heard about Jolly Kyts, and many said it was a shame to kill him. So at night, when the soldiers came to Kyts with the poison, they felt so low-spirited that they brought some bottles of wine to keep them up.

'If you don't mind, we may as well all have a good supper together first,' said they: 'for there need be no hurry with such a jolly fellow as you.'

'With all my heart,' answered Kyts; for I would as soon drink wine as poison.'

But at last there was only one glass of wine left for each, and the glass of poison for Kyts; and as they all stood up to drink this last health, who should come in but the fiercest lord mayor to see Kyts dead body.

'Zounds!' cried he, 'Soldiers, you are drinking!'

For as they heard his step, each one tossed off his glass: so there was only Kyts' glass left on the table.

'I have drank so much wine,' said Kyts, 'that I don't feel thirsty.'

'But I do!' cried the lord mayor; and he tossed off Kyts' glass, and fell down dead.

'After all,' said Kyts, 'I would just as soon he died as me.'

Then as there was no more poison left, the soldiers kept Kyts prisoner to know what the nineteen lord mayors would now like to do. So in the morning, when all the story was told in the hall of justice, the people laughed and clapped their hands with might and main, and cried out, 'Long live King Kits.'

So up got a lord mayor, and said,—

'It is quite plain that Kyts is just the right sort of man to be a new king, for he would not be proud and obstinate like the old kings, but would let things go their own way.'

'Hooray!' cried the people.

'And as he has married the princess, there is no one that has more right, said another mayor.

'But would he want to kill us, or would he let us live?' asked another mayor.

'Whichever you like, answered Kyts; it will make no odds to me.'

Then every one cried, 'Hooray! Long live King Kyts!'

And the princess was brought back from the tower, and Kyts and his lovely bride were crowned; and long did they live, without wars, in peace and great happiness.

'I don't at all mind being king,' said Kyts; 'for I can be happy anywhere.'

THE ASININE SCHOOL.—The *Sumter S. C. News*, has an article entitled, "The Hog will Return to the Mire," based on the letter of Chief-Justice Chase urging the passage of the Fifteenth Amendment by the Legislature of Ohio. In this letter Chief-Justice Chase says: "I am for universal suffrage and universal amnesty." Whereupon the *Sumter News* says: "We need no 'amnesty.' We have done nothing to require a pardon. We have only served in the Confederate army, and done what we could to maintain our rights; and of that we do not repent. We would ourselves individually do the same thing again, and only wish that we had a chance."

At a printers festival, in Minnesota, Judge Goodrich made a speech, in which he referred the invention of printing to a higher antiquity than is usually ascribed to it. He undertook to prove that the patriarch Job knew all about it, by quoting from the following passage! "Oh that my words were now written: Oh that they were *printed in a book!* That they were graven with an iron pen and lead in the rock forever!" The Judge considered this undoubted evidence that Job understood the art of writing, engraving, stereotyping, and lithographing.

JOSH BILLINGS ON BOSTON.—Boston is the kapital of Mass', the salt of the earth, and the kradle and rocking hoss of the live Yankee.

It is a city of immense spondulicks, grate attempts, vast viktories and tremenjuous learning.

What i have saw of Boston suits me. The people are as gentle as lambs, and know a stranger the minnitt they git their eyes on him.

Nobody here is in too much of a hurry to be civil. If you have lost yure hotel the fust man you meet will waste 2 hours telling yu of the different crooks yu must take to reach it, and finally konklude the safest way to tell yu how to get there is to drop everything and go with yu.

Boston is the ezyest place tew git lost in (with all its morality) that i hav ever tried. You kan git lost and not kno it till a hour afterward.

Thare don't seem tew be enny streets that run parallel. They all seem tew run where they pleze, and every street has got at least one end of it, that brings up in somebody's door yard.

To learn Boston one should be born here or at least serve an apprenticeship here for 40 or 50 years.

Mrs. Mary White, of Braintree, reached the 95th anniversary of her birthday recently, when she was visited by many of her descendants to the fifth generation.

Mrs. W. is one of a family noted for longevity; she was a daughter of Thomas Hollis, and soon after her marriage removed to Weymouth, where he resided for many years, and reared a family of six children. Her brothers and sisters were, Thomas who died in Milton upwards of 80 years of age, Lydia widow of the late James French, died in 1850, Rachel widow of the late Samuel Hayden, now lives at the advanced age of 93, Mehitable, wife of the late Asa French Esq. died in 1819, Dea. David Hollis, in 1858, Widow Silence Hayden, died in 1868, Ruth, wife of Gen. Nathan Hurd also dead, Caleb is still living.

Official proclamation of the Fifteenth Amendment is delayed by the non-receipt at Washington of official notification from all the States which have ratified it.

It is reported that the inventor of cork legs is dragging out a dreary existence in a Pennsylvania poor-house. Won't some one leave him a legacy?

THE MAGIC PALACE.

In the year 1739, the Empress Anne, niece of Peter the Great, reigned in Russia. Her court was a gay one, with the kind of half-barbarous splendor which shone in the palaces of the czars at that period. The brief autumn of those extreme northern regions was rapidly passing away, and while statesmen were knitting their brows over political stratagems, or political campaigns for the new year, the courtiers were eagerly planning amusements to enliven the heavy gloom of the long winter already drawing near. Balls, masquerades, concerts, and other entertainments of the usual courtly routine, were lightly talked over. But of these the proud gallants and jeweled dames were very weary.

Honest labor knows of no fatigue so exhausting as the satiety of idle pleasure. Courtly gayeties often become exceedingly dull and wearisome—a heavy burden, in fact—to those most frequently taking part in them. There was a cry for novelty. Something original was needed to throw a fresh interest into the usual amusement. Suddenly a most brilliant and novel suggestion was made.

"Let us set winter at defiance!" exclaimed the noble Alexis Danielowitch Tatischchew. "Let frost and snow and ice combine to build a Magic Palace for the Autocrat of the North!"

The suggestion was received with acclamation. The plan was laid before the Empress. She graciously smiled, and declared herself charmed with the idea.

Lucky Alexis! The Imperial Exchequer was ordered to prepare the necessary funds, and the work began. Some years earlier, in the year 1732, a grand military spectacle, on an imposing scale, had been held, during the severest frosts of the year, on the Neva, then covered with ice several feet in thickness. The Empress Anne had held a review of a military corps of many thousands of men on the river. On that occasion a large

FORTRESS OF SNOW AND ICE

had been built, attacked and defended, according to regular military tactics; artillery had been drawn over, ice cannons and mortars of heavy calibre had been discharged, and the vast icy field held firm under all this mockery of war. It was now proposed to build the Magic Palace of Alexis Danielowitch in the same way, over the frozen waters of the Neva.

The site was chosen, and the workmen began their labors. The purest and most transparent ice of the Neva was chosen for the quarry; large blocks were then cut, and squared by rule and compass, then carved with ornamental designs, as carefully and as skillfully as if they had been so much marble. Ere the walls had been raised many feet, however, the alarm was given; the ice beneath had cracked, the foundation was breaking away! The noble Alexis Tatischchew threw on his robes of fur and drove to the spot in his sledge. He found the report correct; the Neva refused to bear the weight of his palace. The fortress of 1732 had probably been built chiefly of snow. The difficulty was laid before the Empress. She ordered her new palace to be built on the land, and pointed out a spot between her winter palace and the admiralty; sufficiently near the Neva to facilitate the transportation of the novel building material. On this more favorable ground the work began anew. Still greater care was taken in

PREPARING THE BLOCKS

of ice; which, as in the first instance, were all quarried from the Neva. After they had been cut and carved, with the greatest accuracy, each block was raised by crane and pulley. At the very moment of lowering it to its destined position, a small quantity of water was thrown on the block below. The precise quantity of water was regulated as if it had been so much mortar. If too much were used, the symmetry of the work would be injured. As the water froze, the different rows of blocks became so closely connected together, that, when completed, the whole building became one compact mass, looking as if it was chiselled entire from one icy mound.

THE DIMENSIONS

of this palace were not large; it was indeed a sort of *petit Trianon*. The front was fifty feet in length, simple in character, and divided into seven compartments by pilasters. In six of these compartments were large windows, the framework of which was painted to imitate green marble. The ice took the paint perfectly. The panes were thin sheets of ice, beautifully smooth and transparent as the most costly glass. The central division projected, to represent a doorway, surmounted by a Roman arch and appropriate architectural ornaments. On either side of the door stood a statue of ice, on a high pedestal, and in front was an approach of several steps. This apparent door was in reality, however, but another and larger window, level with the floor. An ornamented balustrade surmounted the front, with architectural ornament rising in the centre, above the doorway, and the window on either side of it. The roof was sloping, and marked in lines, to represent tiles; there were also chimneys, all in ice. The height of the building was twenty one feet; its depth was eighteen feet.

FROST-WORK ACCESSORIES.

But the palace itself was not the only wonder; the accessories were very complete, and all so much frost-work. A handsome balustrade, apparently of marble, with statues and architectural ornaments, completely surrounded the palace, being eighty-seven feet in length, and thirty-six in width, enclosing a sort of garden or court, with two handsome gateways in the rear. It was through these gateways that the building was approached. Orange trees, nearly as high as the building, bearing fruit and flowers, with birds on the branches, also adorned the court or garden—tree, flower, fruit, leaf and bird being all delicately chiselled out of the same magic marble as the palace itself.

ICE CANNONS.

The front approach was guarded by six cannons, regularly turned and bored: they stood before the balustrade, three on either side of the doorway. These were also of ice. They were of the calibre which usually receives a charge of three pounds of powder. In addition to these cannons there was also a large mortar, on each side of the entrance, of a size prepared for shells of eighty pounds. In advance of these mortars stood two neatly-carved dolphins on pedestals. Still farther in advance, two pyramids, nearly as high as the chimneys, had been erected on carved pedestals. Each was surmounted by an ornamental globe, and had an oval window in the centre. To the left of the palace stood

AN ELEPHANT,

large as life; on his back was a man in a Persian dress, while two similar icy figures, one bearing a lance, stood near the animal. Thus it was that the approach to the Magic Palace was guarded by other magic wonders.

Such was the aspect of the famous palace of ice, when early in the winter, the Empress and her Court came to admire the work of that enchanter, the noble Alexis Tatischchew. The Court itself must have been a very curious spectacle to foreign eyes, so quaint and so gorgeous were the peculiar costumes collected there from different regions of the Empire. In no country of Europe was there a pomp so Asiatic in lavish display of gems and jewels, of the richest furs and the costliest manufacturers. The effect was most brilliant. The palace itself shone like one vast

GEM OF OPAL,

so perfect was the transparency, and so peculiar the blue tint of the fabric. Every part of the building, the statues, the dolphins, the elephant, every leaf, flower, and bird, ay, the solid pyramids, the very cannon, were glittering with the everchanging brilliancy of the many colored prism, with its crimson, green, golden lights.

As the Empress approached wonders increased. A salute was fired from the icy cannons, and the mortars threw their shells high in the air! Yes, real fire and smoke issued from the magical artillery; and at the same moment the marble like elephant threw up a watery spray, higher than the roof of the palace. The enchanted portal opened, and the Empress entered a handsome vestibule, whence appeared a lofty room, on either side. In

THE DRAWING ROOM

stood a table, apparently of marble supporting a handsome clock whose icy wheels, daintily cut, were seen beneath the transparent case. Large statues filled the corner of the room. Settees and sofas, handsomely carved, stood on either side; nor were chairs, footstools, and other smaller pieces of furniture wanting. The sleeping room, or what appeared such, on the opposite side of the vestibule, was even still more luxuriantly furnished. There was a grand state bedstead, with its appropriate bed, pillows, counterpane, and above all, finely-woven curtains, apparently of lace! There was a dressing-table with its mirror, and many nicknacks, jars, and bottles for powders and perfumes, with cups and boxes for trinkets. This table was supported by pretty little caryatides. On the right was an elegantly carved chimney-piece, and on the hearth were laid logs of wood ready to kindle! Here and there wreaths of icy flowers hung in festoons.

Conceive the delight of the Empress and her Court at the magical beauty of her toy. There was no happier man that day at St. Petersburgh than the successful architect, the noble Alex Tatischchew. And still the enchantment increased.

AN ICE SALUTE.

At her arrival the Empress had been received with a salute. At her departure another salute was fired, with still greater effect. In the first instance a ball of hard tow had been well rammed into the cannons; but the imperial lady now desired that iron balls should be tried. The experiment was made, and the artillery of the Magic Palace was actually fired with a charge of powder of a quarter of a pound, and with iron balls. The salute was entirely successful, the balls piercing a strong plank two inches thick, at a distance of sixty paces; and the cannons remained uninjured.

THE ILLUMINATION.

An evening visit followed. By night the enchantment appeared still greater. All the windows were illuminated with colored transparencies, and nothing could exceed the beautiful effects of the light which filled not only the windows, but the transparent walls of the building itself, with a delicate, pearly glow, even more beautiful than the opal tint by day. The pyramids were also illuminated with revolving transparencies at the oval windows. The elephant was now seen spouting a stream of burning naphtha, a fire-like spray, high in the air, while a man concealed within the hollow body of the creature, by blowing pipes, succeeded in imitating the roar natural to the animal. Within the palace the icy candles, smeared with naphtha, were lighted, without melting, and the icy logs in the fireplace were kindled in the same way. A beautiful

MOONLIGHT VIEW

on still another occasion, was most charming, from the crystal-like character of the palace, and its garden, reflecting a thousand silvery rays. Then again, fresh falls of snow gave a new charm to the spectacle, as every architectural ornament, every twig and leaf, was daintily marked by the soft feathery flakes, of a white even more pure than that of the ice on which they fell.

Through the long winter of St. Petersburg, from January to the equinoctial days of March, that ice wonder stood on the banks of the Neva. Before April it had vanished, and disappeared again in the bosom of the stream from whence it arose.

We are not told at what cost to the treasury this dream of a courtier became a reality,—

A scene
Of evanescent glory, once a stream,
And soon to glide into a stream again.

The coldest day of that winter at St. Petersburgh was February 5th, when the thermometer stood at 30 deg. F. below zero. The same winter was very severe throughout Europe. At London the mercury fell to 8 deg. below zero.—*Putnam.*

In Baltimore nearly 5,000 women find steady employment throughout the season in packing oysters.

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WEYMOUTH TOWN MEETING.

As the time for our annual meeting draws near, many questions are asked in relation to the management of our town affairs during the past year, and also in relation to the future. Is the management and tinkering of our miserable streets and sidewalks to be still continued as heretofore, and their whole care left with irresponsible parties? Are we to have a superintendent of roads in *reality* as well as in *name*? It was expected that by a vote of the town last March, we should have a supervisor or superintendent of roads, and that there would be an improvement over past years. But where is the superintendent? Who is he? and who has ever seen him? Where is the improvement in our roads? On the contrary are they not in a worse condition than they have been for the last twenty years. And why should they not be? What can people expect when the town appropriates only six thousand dollars for highways. It needs an appropriation of twenty thousand dollars at least, instead of six thousand to put our roads into decent shape. Where are our labor reformers? Why not take this matter in hand and appropriate enough to give us roads that will compare favorably with towns around us. Look at Quincy. Splendid roads and sidewalks. Look at Dorchester. Thirty four thousand dollars appropriated for roads last year, and eighteen thousand for widening streets. Fifty two thousand in all for roads and bridges in one year. Nearly nine times as much as Weymouth. Newton spent twenty-six thousand dollars on roads last year, and this year has appropriated thirty-six thousand dollars for the same purpose. The small town of Brighton spent about twelve thousand on her roads last year, and Weymouth, one of the largest towns in the County, seem to think that the paltry sum of six thousand, will keep her roads in repair? The fact is, the town might reasonably be indicted for the dangerous condition of its roads and sidewalks. What is wanted is a thorough investigation of the whole matter, free discussion, a liberal appropriation, a superintendent that understands the business, and the whole matter (instead of being left in the hands of eleven men that will each tinker up a little near his own residence or the street on which he resides) left with the selectmen, or a competent and responsible board of highway-surveyors chosen by the town, who will see that the money is spent where it should be, and that it is well spent. Another question is often asked in relation to our schools,—whether our Grammar schools are still to be left to the charge of females. Is it that the town is so poor that it cannot appropriate a sufficient sum of money to educate its children, and so is obliged to place the Grammer Schools in the charge of females, because they can be hired a trifle cheaper than males? It is time this plan was abandoned. Every Grammar School in Weymouth should be in charge of a male teacher. Money enough should be appropriated to employ competent and qualified male teachers as is done in other towns around us. Weymouth has always had the name of being behind other towns in matters relating to education, *as well as to roads*, and it is time to make a change. Let us have an appropriation so that the children of our mechanics and laboring men can be educated as well as they are in other towns around us. There are many wealthy persons in town that do not care how small the appropriation is, for they can send their children to the best of schools in Boston and other places. Now let us have good schools here. Let us appropriate enough so that we can secure as good teachers as in other towns, so that the children of our mechanics and laborers can have as good advantages as the most wealthy of our citizens. Compare Weymouth with a few towns around us. Last year Weymouth appropriated fifteen thousand dollars for school purposes, the town of Newton with about the same population as Weymouth appropriated fifty-six thousand for the same purpose. The town of Quincy smaller than Weymouth, last year appropriated seventeen thousand dollars, and this year eighteen thousand four hundred and twenty-five. The town of Brighton with about half the number of children that Weymouth has spent last year for schools sixteen thousand nine hundred and ten dollars. The town of Dorchester last year appropriated the sum of fifty-four thousand dollars for schools. Well may the children of this ancient town complain that they do not have the advantages that children do in the towns around us. It is time this old theory or plan of past ages, of *a little money*, and *cheap teachers* was done away with. *Let it be heard of no more*. Appropriate twenty-five thousand dollars at least for schools, and let us see if our children can't be educated as well as our neighbors. Wendell Phillips says, "the workingmen of Massachusetts have the power, they have the ballot, and if they do not educate their children, who can they blame but themselves? *And is it not so?* With the right and power to vote appropriation sufficient to educate our children, shall we not do it? If we do not, the fault is our own.

REFORM.

THE GREAT SCHOOL QUESTION.—Shall the Bible be excluded from our Public Schools, or shall the school fund be divided for Sectarian purposes? This question of no trifling political importance is now agitating not the pulpit merely, but the entire press, secular, as well as religious. To meet this question which will soon be upon us, every citizen should be prepared to act intelligently, and with the best interests of all at heart. When it comes, it will not come as a Sectarian issue, but as a great political question, one upon which all classes of our citizens will feel a deep interest, and one in which all will take sides either for or against. We do not know whether the question will come before our town at its annual meeting or not, but in some of our Annual Town Meetings the debates have been quite exciting on this question of "the Bible in our public schools." B. W. L.

SAVE YOUR SIGHT AND HEARING.—Dr Bragg, the famous Surgeon of the "Chelsea Eye and Ear Infirmary," will be in Weymouth, at "Wales Hotel," next Monday and Tuesday, March 21-22.

There will be a service this afternoon at 3 o'clock, in Trinity Church.

BRAINTREE.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE.—The most destructive fire which has ever occurred in the East village took place last Tuesday night. Just before 12 o'clock fire was discovered in the Monatiquot Mill of Mr. Henry Gardner, the flame proceeding from the boiler-room. Three fire annihilators were located near the door of the room, but so intense was the heat and so dense the smoke pouring from the place, that all efforts to reach them resulted in securing but one of the protectors, and so rapid was the progress of the fire, owing to the large amount of combustible material in the buildings, that it was useless. In half an hour's time the mill was a mass of flame, and the drying-house, stable, etc., soon shared its fate, involving the loss of a great amount of dressed lumber, machinery and tools, including the stock of Mr. James Graves, furniture manufacturer, L. O. Crocker's punch works, and Mess. A. S. White & Co., fan manufacturers, whose loss, about $10,000, was total, there being no insurance on their stock. The contents of the stable of Mr. Gardner, including ten tons of bundle hay, carriages, &c., were safely removed. On the opposite side of the river, the grist mill of Mr. L. W. Hobart took fire from the intense heat, and was totally destroyed, with a large part of its contents, about 2000 bushels of grain having been stored a day or two previous. Unfortunately, the Union engine, which was on the ground in season, was found to be froze up, and the Amazon was stuck in a snow-drift and before a stream of water could be brought to bear the grist mill was wrapped in flames. Had the firemen been able to have worked the machines fifteen or twenty minutes earlier, the building might have been saved. The coal office next door was somewhat damaged, but escaped destruction. The calm air which prevailed prevented a still greater destruction, as a high wind would have endangered many other buildings in the vicinity. The fire is a serious calamity, involving not only the loss of a large amount of property, but also depriving a large number of men of employment.

Messrs. White had but recently commenced the manufacture of fans, and the sudden cessation of their operations is a serious misfortune not only to the proprietors, but to a large number of operatives engaged in the work.

Mr. James Graves, who had lately taken rooms in the mill for the manufacture of furniture, lost about $1000 in tools and stock, and one of his workmen, Mr. Hayden, lost tools to the amount of $200.

Several of the employees of Mr. Gardner lost chests and small lots of tools, averaging $150, Mr. Benj. Loring, in the employ of Messrs. White, lost a set of piping tools worth $220.

Mr L. O. Crocker, manufacturer of conductor's punches, lost about $500 in tools and stock.

We learn that the loss of Mr. Gardner amounts to nearly $30,000, on which there was an insurance of $18,000, as follows:—Society, of New York, $2500; Insurance Company of North America, of Philadelphia, $2500; Hope, of New York, $1065; Metropolitan, of New York, $1625; Commonwealth, of New York, $1625; Merchants, of Providence, $1625; North America, of Hartford, $1000; Firemen's of New York, $1000; Western, of Buffalo, $1000; Buffalo F. and M. of Buffalo, $1000; the remainder in the Norwich office, and Ætna, of Hartford. There was also an insurance of $1000 on the stable.

Mr. L. W. Hobart's mill and stock was valued at $14,000, on which the insurance was $8000—2000 in the Cleveland, Ohio Ins. Co., North American, Philadelphia, 2000, Merchants, of Providence, 2000, Hope, New York, 2000.

The entire loss by the fire will reach nearly $50,000, aside from the delay in the various departments of business. The cause of the fire is unknown. The mill was one of the largest in this part of the State, and its destruction is a severe blow to the village. The loss of property is considerably larger than it would have been if the Union engine had been in condition for service, and much feeling exists in the community in consequence. It is stated that water was left in the tub after the East Weymouth fire, and no fire having been kept in the house since that time, the engine was rendered useless.

The dwelling house of Mr. Gardner, on the opposite side of the street, was in considerable danger, and took fire several times, but by prompt and continued effort, was saved.

THE following resolutions were passed at a recent meeting of Braintree Lodge, No 100, K. O. S. C.

Whereas, it has pleased Almighty God, in his wise providence, once more to enter our midst, and remove from us by death one of our number, our beloved brother, Walter A. Gilman, a young man whose connections with us were of the most pleasant and brotherly kind,

Resolved, That while we bow in submission to the will of God, we would humbly ask the divine aid, to help us cherish his virtues and to imitate in our daily walks of life that spirit of contentment and trust in God's goodness to men evinced by him in his last illness.

Resolved, That we rejoice in the example of patience and meekness which he has left to us, and of his readiness to acknowledge that God doeth all things well.

Resolved, That as a Lodge we deeply sympathize with the afflicted family, and would ask them with us to remember that he has left us for a world where pain and trouble never enter, but where all is peace and happiness.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to the Monatiquot Reporter for publication.

Braintree, March 10, 1870.

WEYMOUTH TOWN OFFICERS.

The last slate made up for town officers, which we have seen, is the following—

Selectmen and overseers of the poor—Wilmot Cleverly, W. W. Raymond, Darius Smith, John Blanchard, Noah Vining.

Assessors—James Humphrey, Nathan Canterbury, Noah Vining.

Town Clerk—Francis Ambler.

Town Treasurer—Amos S. White.

School Committee—Calvin Terry, Susan B. Porter, Augusta Raymond, J. Murray Whitcomb. Two for three years, and two to fill vacancies for two years.

Superintendent of highways,—Thomas B. Porter.

Superintendent of schools—F. M. Dodge.

Miss Mariana Thompson will preach in the Universalist Church Weymouth Landing, next Sunday morning and afternoon, March 20.

NORTH WEYMOUTH.

HOW SHALL LABOR REFORM BE PROTECTED.—The subject of Labor Reform, or how shall labor be protected, is a subject which demands the most careful consideration of every intelligent mind. Labor has ever been a slave to capital, through all ages, up to the present time. History substantiates the fact. History is full of oppression, and why is it? It is because honest, hard working men, who are obliged to toil and labor ten and twelve hours a day, year after year, for wages which, generally speaking, are insufficient to support themselves and families, have not had the moral courage to stand up like men, and demand of the capitalist the rights that belong to them. The man who invests his capital in business, and gives employment to labor, says he has all the risks to run, therefore he shall pay such wages as he pleases, or as he thinks he can afford to pay, as the man who does his work has no risk to run or money to lose. Is that so? No! Men of all trades do have a risk to run as well as the capitalist, who employs them. It is well known that nine out of ten who go into business, are almost sure to fail up, and not pay their workmen. We have known many such cases which have come under our own observation. Every honest laborer needs every dollar he has earned, and must have it, or he cannot pay his store bill, house rent, interest money, and taxes. The capitalists who are accumulating thousands upon thousands every year, can well stand the pressure of losing a thousand dollars occasionally, but to cheat or wrong a hard working man out of a dollar, which he has earned by the sweat of his brow, is taking the bread out of the mouths of those who are dependent on him for support and often drives man to desperate deeds. The laborer trusts his employer, for his labor, the same as the employer trusts his customer for his goods. We know there are men doing business in every branch of trade, and pay their help once a week or once a month; therefore those who are fortunate enough to get work of such men, have but little risk to run. But there are thousands of men doing business, employing a great many men and women, promising great wages, doing a rushing business, keeping fast horses, building large and elegant houses, and making a great show, but when their workmen ask for their pay, it is often as hard to collect it as it is to earn it. Now this trifling with labor is a diabolical outrage, and we believe that there is but one way to remedy all this, and that is for every branch of labor, throughout the country, to organize on a right principle. Not tyrannical, nor radical, not to injure or destroy the business of any one, but for the purpose of protecting and securing the interests of the employer as well as the laborer. Then there will be confidence on both sides; then labor and capital will work together harmoniously. It is useless for any one branch of labor to ever think of controlling the government, or protect labor alone; it must be, as I have before stated, an organization of all trades, working for one general object, which is the best interests of all, that will ever meet with any great success.

N. M.

HEAD QUARTERS LINCOLN ENCAMPMENT,
Post 40, G. A. R. North Weymouth,
March 14, 1870.

At a regular meeting of this Post, held this evening, the following resolutions upon the death of Charles G. Briggs, were unanimously adopted:—

Whereas, we have been called upon to watch by the bedside, and to administer to the wants of a beloved comrade of this order, and have also performed the sad and sacred duty, which the living owe the dead, of depositing his remains in the silent tomb, returning them to the earth from whence they came, and whereas our hearts are pained by this sudden and unexpected affliction: Resolved, that although testimonials can add nothing to his honor and integrity as a comrade, to his faithfulness, patriotism, and bravery as a soldier, and to his worth as a citizen, we feel it a pleasure to bear tribute to his memory.

Resolved, that in him we have lost one tried and faithful as a friend, comrade and brother, whose life and virtues should inspire us with greater devotion to the cause for which we are united.

Resolved, that to his bereaved and afflicted family we tender our deepest and most heartfelt sympathy.

Resolved, that the charter of this Post be appropriately draped in mourning.

Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to his family, and that they also be published in the Weymouth Gazette.

J. W. BURR, Post Adjutant.
J. A. BICKNELL, Post Commander.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the North Weymouth Cemetery Association was held in the Chapel of Rev. J. Emery's Church, on Tuesday evening, March 8, at 7 1-2 o'clock. The President being absent, Vice President E. S. Beals occupied the chair. The following were the officers elected for the ensuing year:—President, E. S. Beals; Vice Presidents, J. Humphrey, C. Nash; Secretary and Treasurer, W. O. Nash; Standing Committee, Henry Newton, John W. Bartlett, W. O. Nash, William White, and C. Nash.

The 6th Article of the Constitution was so amended that hereafter all officers shall continue in office until others be chosen to take their place.

From the report of the Standing Committee, it appears that the work of improvement has steadily advanced, and that the grounds are in better order than they ever were. On the West side, North Hill, seven lots have been graded, of which three belong to individuals; on the South hill the improvements have been pushed forward as rapidly as possible; much however remains to be done. During the summer a pump was placed in the Cemetery, adding greatly to the convenience of the laborers and costing about $67.00.

On the East side, the driveway to the Soldiers' Monument being quite steep, it was thought best to pave the gutters to prevent the wash which every rain causes. This has been well done at an expense of $150.

During the year 100 Fir Balsams and 100 Arbor Vitae have been set out most of them doing well. On the North Hill a hedge of Honey Locusts has been planted, extending about 15 rods. In a few years this will take the place of the fence, being at once less expensive and more attractive than the present boundary.

Three lots have been taken on the old ground, realizing $25.00; on the new ground eight lots, realizing $80.00. It is a very noticeable fact, that since last November no one has been interred in this Cemetery or placed in the Receiving Tomb, an occurrence without parallel for many years. The whole number of deaths for the year ending March 7, 1870, is 29.

From the report of the Treasurer it appears that there was on hand March 10, 1869, $1,058.49. 11 lots have been sold for the sum of $110.00; Hay, $26.- Proceeds of Tea Parties and Concert, $152.06; Interest on Note, $60.00, Received for lots on Old Ground, $86.00, and from subscriptions for care of lots $355.58. The cost of pump $67.53. There has been paid for labor on grounds $521.08; other bills and expenses amount to $142.78. On hand March 8, 1870, a Note to the Hingham Agricultural and Horticultural Society, for $1000.00, endorsed by Hon. Albert Fearing, and cash amounting to $94.04.

W. O. NASH, Sec. N. W. C. A.

EAST WEYMOUTH.

MECHANICS TEMPLE OF HONOR celebrated its third anniversary last Friday evening, by an entertainment of addresses, music, and collation, in Washburn's Hall, which was attended by a large number of the members and friends of the Order, including brethren from Boston and Lynn. The evening was agreeably spent, and the addresses of Rev. Messrs. Waldron, Morrison and others, pertinent and apt, with the singing by a glee club, added much to the interest of the entertainment. A marked feature of the occasion was the presentation of a Templar's Chart, elegantly framed, to Brother Morrison, whose term of labor as pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church, has just closed. The gift was received with much emotion by Bro. M., expressing, as it did, the sentiments of regard and esteem toward the recipient, which pervade not only the ranks of the Order, but also the entire community in which he has earnestly labored during the past three years.

The High School Class held a reunion the same evening, in Shaw's Hall, closing about midnight.

The Young Mens' Christian Association have recently fitted up a reading room in the building occupied by Mr. Merchant, Tailor, and Mrs. Richardson, Milliner. The room is open every evening (Sunday excepted) and is well supplied with weekly and daily publications. It will be a pleasant resort for the young men in the village.

Rev. Mr. Morrison will preach in Washburn Hall next Sunday. This will close his pastoral labors with the M. E. Church of East Weymouth.

MRS. HANAFORD will deliver a temperance lecture in Washburn Hall, Saturday evening, under the auspices of the Ladies Temperance Union. The Public are invited.

AMERICAN ORGANS.—By reference to the advertising columns it will be observed that the excellencies of the organs manufactured by S. D. & H. W. Smith, are duly set forth by the agent, Mr. F. B. Eates. A further attestation of their merits is made by Carl Zerrahn, who in a letter to the makers, says "I cheerfully testify to their great superiority," in quality of tone as well as finish of mechanical parts.

OBITUARY.—At Harrison Square, Dorchester, March 5th, at the house of her son, Dr. William Fifield, Mrs. Hannah Cranch Bond, widow of the late Dr. Fifield, of Weymouth, aged 83 years.

Many of the residents of this neighbourhood will have read the above announcement, made in your last week's paper, with profound emotion. It can hardly furnish cause for regret, for the infirmities of old age were beginning to close round a life that had till recently been favored with an unusual exemption from them. Still there is a natural grief that many old friends and neighbors must share with Mrs. Fifield's immediate family. Such we know will sympathize with a few words of love and respect to her memory. She belonged to a family whose scientific attainments have reflected the highest honor on the country, being the sister of the late Professor William Bond, of Cambridge, whose labors, together with those of his sons, enjoy a world wide reputation. She possessed a portion of the family vigor of intellect, though it flowed in a different channel. She was distinguished for her love of reading and her quick and accurate appreciation of whatever was best in every species of literature. She had a great love of poetry and wrote herself with taste and simplicity. The loveliness of her imagination and the quickness of all her mental powers, were very remarkable.

But it was not by these that she will be chiefly remembered in the town where the chief portion of her life was spent; nor yet by her general works of charity and kindness to the poor, though these were very abundant. It is by her boundless devotion to the cause of the slave that her memory will live as long as the story of the efforts made in his behalf in this place, shall survive. Weymouth was one of the earliest towns in which an Anti-Slavery Society was formed, and Mrs. Fifield was one of its earliest and most important promoters, and from the commencement of the cause to its final triumph, a great portion of her life and exertions were devoted to its service. The earliest Anti-Slavery agents and lecturers will remember her, in the darkest days of the cause, as one of their most efficient and most faithful friends. She often expressed her surprise and thankfulness that she should have lived to behold the triumph of a work for which she had labored only in faith, and like most Abolitionists, counted the toils and friendships of those early days as their most hallowed recollections.

Among all the old inhabitants of this place her memory and that of her late husband, will long be preserved.

A. W. W.

Weymouth, March 12, 1870.

A GOOD MOVE.—A petition, numerously signed by residents of this vicinity, has been forwarded to Major Jones, praying for the re-appointment of Mr. Christopher T. Bailey on the State Police. Mr. Bailey proved himself an efficient officer during his term of service, and as a State Constable is greatly needed in this locality, it is hoped that the petition will have a favorable hearing.

The Weymouth Sabbath School Association will meet next Sunday evening at the Rev. Mr. Ellsworth's church at 6 1-2 o'clock. Gilbert Nash Esq. will deliver the essay. Subject "The True Position of the Sabbath School." Pastors will please give notice to their congregations.

Mr. John Q. Pope, of Quincy, an officer in the Boston and Albany Railway Station in Boston, found a piece of paper hanging from the stove door in the waiting room, which proved to be a half burned check for $2000 on the Union National Bank, signed by a gentleman belonging in Weymouth. It was supposed that it had been stolen, but we learn that the drawer of the check being in the station that day, threw it into the stove, having no use for it.

A BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION.

E. WEYMOUTH, Mar. 10, '70.

Mr. Editor:—The eighty-first birthday of Mrs. Sally Kingman of this place was celebrated by her relatives and friends, in the form of a surprise party, on last Monday evening, the 7th inst. Although the weather was stormy and therefore unfavorable to a large party, over thirty, as if defying the power of Eolus, were present. And the number of gifts which she received testified of the kindly feelings existing between the recipient and givers.

The early part of the evening, after the customary congratulations, etc., was devoted to singing some of those old tunes which are always such favorites among the aged; among them was the one sung at her marriage.

After this the company were invited to partake of a bountiful repast, suited to the most epicurean taste. The supper having been duly discussed the younger members of the company engaged in plays of various kinds and interest; the joy and warmth within presenting a striking contrast to the raging of the storm without.

As Mrs. Kingman related incidents connected with her early life it seemed as if old Father Time, leaving for a moment the busy scenes of the nineteenth century, had stopped in his rapid flight, and was taking a look backward to the scenes which characterized the times of eighty years ago. Such a retrospective view but very few are permitted to take. How few, if any of those present will ever attain such a patriarchal age. During the evening she showed a towel which was once owned by her grandmother, thus making it over a hundred years old; the tow from which it was made grew in Hingham. If this article could be regarded as a representative of the quality of their workmanship we should say that, in respect both to beauty and utility it far excelled the articles of the kind of the present day.

It was one of those gatherings such as we might suppose our forefathers indulged in in olden times; and was intended as a slight token of respect to one of those rare characters of whom it is said—"A friend in need is a friend indeed." And, as the evening merged into morning, those who had not previously taken their leave, dispersed to their several homes grateful that they had made one happy who will soon enter upon the life which knows no end.

C. B. C.

COURT RECORD.—On Friday last, J. T. Willy, landlord of the Hancock House, Quincy, was before Justice Bumpus on a complaint of being a common seller of intoxicating liquors, and was fined $50 and costs, which he paid.

On Tuesday last, Wm. Clegg, of South Weymouth, was on trial on three counts one of which was keeping liquor with intent to sell, on which he was fined $10 and costs; on another, as a common seller, $50 and costs; on a third, for keeping and maintaining a liquor nuisance, bound over to appear before the Grand Jury the first Monday in April. On the two first counts he appealed and gave bonds for appearance before the Superior Court.

James T. Hatch in the employ of Clegg, arraigned on a separate count charged with being a common seller of liquor, was fined $50 and costs.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.—A Correspondent informs us that the names of Miss Augusta Raymond, and Miss Susan B. Porter have been mentioned as suitable persons to be placed on the board of school committee for the ensuing year.

They have been connected with our schools for a term of years, and are abundantly well qualified to perform the duties of school committee.

As more than seven eighths of our teachers are females, why not have some female on the board of school committee? Female Preachers, Female Teachers, why not Female School Committee?

CHARITABLE.—The entertainment given a few weeks since at North Weymouth will be repeated at the Town Hall on Wednesday evening next, at which time a choice programme will be presented to the audience. The Tableaux elicited, at their first performance, the warmest commendation from all who witnessed them, and were without question far superior in number, excellence and high tone, to any ever yet presented to our citizens. The programme has been enlarged for the coming entertainment by the addition of several new and pleasing *"pictures."* The chorus, which rendered both popular and classical music so much to the gratification of the audience and their own credit, has been increased by the addition of well known vocalists and will more than maintain its former reputation.

The most potent argument for a full house lies in the fact that the proceeds are to be devoted to the Methodist Society who have recently lost their church. So laudable an object must certainly appeal very forcibly to the sympathies of all, and we hope to find an expression of their good will in the crowded house which will meet us on Wednesday evening next, Mar. 23. The price of tickets (25) brings the entertainment within reach of all. Doors open at 7—Curtain rises at 7.45.

The anniversary of the First Baptist Sunday School, Weymouth, will be observed next Sunday afternoon. On account of the severe storm last Sabbath it was postponed.

By special request, Rev. Gideon Cole, will repeat next Sabbath morning if pleasant the sermon preached last Sabbath forenoon. Subject, The baptism of Christ.

Song—The Gold Ring.

The Bulls and Bears are growling,
They're in the fog so thick,
Like wolves and dogs they're howling,
They must do something quick.
Gold is surely tumbling,
Like an earthquake shock it seems,
They hear its fearful rumbling,
They see it in their dreams.
Then cheer for George S. Boutwell,
For Geo. H. Richards, too,
Who sells the finest clothing,
All styles, rich and new.
Spring overcoats so splendid,
Nice vests and pants so rare.
Visit the Old Sun Tavern,
Number Twenty-five Dock Square.

DR. WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY is a combination and a form indeed for healing and curing diseases of the throat, lungs, and chest. It cures a cough by loosening and cleansing the lungs, and allaying irritation; thus *removing the cause*, instead of drying up the cough and leaving the disease behind.

Johnson's Anodyne Liniment, is without doubt the safest, surest, and best remedy that has ever been invented for internal and external use. It is applicable to a great variety of complaints, and is equally beneficial for man or beast.

We have seen it stated in various papers throughout the country, that Agents for the sale of *Sheridan's Cavalry Condition Powders* were authorized to refund the money to any person who should use them and not be satisfied with the result. We doubt this at first, but the proprietors authorize us to say that it is true.

Marriages and Deaths.

DIED.

In Braintree, Feb. 15, Walter A. Gilman, aged 20 yrs. 5 mos.

Business Notices.

LUMBER AND PLANING,

HENRY GARDNER would respectfully inform the public that his Lumber business will be continued without interruption, and arrangements having been made for the prosecution of the Planing business, orders will be received as usual, and promptly attended to, at the Office on his Wharf at Weymouth Landing.
East Braintree, March 18, 1870. 46

Notice to Customers.

L. W. HOBART will continue the GRAIN BUSINESS as usual, and orders given to the teamster, or left at the Storehouse or the Coal Office, East Braintree, will be promptly filled.
East Braintree, March 18, 1870. 46

CARD.

☞ The subscriber returns his sincere thanks to many friends in Weymouth and Braintree for their earnest and generous efforts to save his dwelling-house and other property from destruction by fire on Tuesday night last.

HENRY GARDNER.

East Braintree, March 18, 1870.

CARD.

☞ L. W. HOBART returns his grateful acknowledgments to the residents of Braintree and Weymouth who assisted in the removal of goods from his mill on the occasion of the recent fire.
East Braintree, March 18, 1870.

A COUGH, SORE THROAT OR COLD.

BROWN'S BRONCHIAL TROCHES

Requires immediate attention, as neglect often results in an incurable Lung Disease.

BROWN'S BRONCHIAL TROCHES will most invariably give instant relief.

For *Bronchitis, Asthma, Catarrh, Consumptive and Throat Diseases*, they have a soothing effect.

SINGERS and PUBLIC SPEAKERS use them to clear and strengthen the voice.

Owing to the good reputation and popularity of the Troches, many *worthless and cheap imitations are offered, which are good for nothing.*—Be sure to OBTAIN the *true*

BROWN'S BRONCHIAL TROCHES
SOLD EVERYWHERE.

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PRICES.

Hoofland's German Bitters per Bottle,	$1 00
Do do do half dozen,	5 00
Do do Tonic, put up in qt. bottles,	1 50
per bottle, or a half dozen for	7 50

☞ Do not forget to examine well the article you buy in order to get the genuine.

NATURE'S GIFTS
Scientifically Developed.

As mankind, from indiscretion or other causes, has been doomed to suffer from disease, so also has a remedy for diseases been provided. Our hills and valleys abound with roots and herbs, which if scientifically prepared and compounded, will restore health and vigor to the invalid. To find such a remedy we should seek one that has stood the test of age.

Hoofland's German Bitters

was placed before the public thirty years ago, with all the prejudice of so called "patent medicine" operating against it; but gradually its virtues became known, and now, to-day, it stands at the head of all preparations of its class, with the indorsement of eminent judges, lawyers, clergymen and physicians.

Read the following symptoms, and if you find that your system is affected by any of them, you may rest assured that disease has commenced its attack on the most important organs of your body and unless soon checked by the use of powerful remedies, a miserable life soon terminating in death will be the result: Constipation, Flatulence, Inward Piles, Fullness of blood to the Head, Acidity of the Stomach, Nausea, Heartburn, Disgust for food, Fullness of weight in the Stomach, Sour Eructations, Sinking or Fluttering at the pit of the Stomach, Swimming of the head, Hurried or Difficult Breathing, Fluttering at the Heart, Choking or Suffocation Sensations when in a Lying Posture, Dimness of Vision, Dots or Webs before the Sight, Dull Pain in the Head, Deficiency of Perspiration, Yellowness of the Skin and Eyes, Pain in the Side, Back, Chest, Limbs, etc., Sudden Flushes of Heat, Burning in the Flesh, Constant Imaginings of Evil and Great Depression of Spirits. All these indicate diseases of the Liver or Digestive organs combined with impure blood.

HOOFLAND'S
GERMAN BITTERS

Is entirely vegetable, and contains no liquor. It is a compound of Fluid Extracts. The Roots, Herbs and Barks from which these extracts are made are gathered in Germany; all the medicinal virtues are extracted from them by a scientific chemist. These extracts are then forwarded to this country to be used expressly for the manufacture of this Bitters. There is no alcoholic substance of any kind used in compounding the Bitters, hence it is free from all the objections incident to the use of a liquor preparation.

Hoofland's German Tonic

Is a combination of all the ingredients of the Bitters, with pure Santa Cruz Rum, Orange, etc. It is used for the same diseases as the Bitters, in cases where some pure Alcoholic Stimulant is required.

TESTIMONY

Like the following was never before offered in behalf of any medicinal preparation.

HON. GEO. W. WOODWARD,
Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania, writes:

PHILADELPHIA, March 16, 1869.

I find "Hoofland's German Bitters" is a good tonic, useful in diseases of the digestive organs, and of great benefit in cases of debility, and want of nervous action in the system. Yours truly,

GEO. W. WOODWARD.

HON. JAMES THOMPSON,
Judge of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania.

PHILADELPHIA, April 28, 1866

I consider Hoofland's German Bitters a valuable medicine in case of attacks of Indigestion or Dyspepsia. I can certify this from my experience of it. Yours, with respect,

JAMES THOMPSON.

HON. GEO. SHARSWOOD,
Justice of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania.

PHILADELPHIA, June 1, 1868.

I have found by experience that Hoofland's German Bitters is a very good tonic, relieving dyspeptic symptoms almost immediately.

GEO. SHARSWOOD.

CAUTION.

Hoofland's German Remedies are counterfeited. See that the signature of C. M. JACKSON is on the wrapper of each bottle. All others are counterfeit. Principal office and manufactory at the German Medicine Store, No. 631 Arch St. Philadelphia, Pa.

CHAS. M. EVANS, Proprietor.
Formerly C. M. Jackson & Co.

Consumption.

The Three Remedies, "SCHENCK'S PULMONIC SYRUP," for the cure of Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis and every form of Consumption. The peculiar action of this medicine ripens the ulcers in the lungs, promotes the discharge of the corrupt matter by expectoration, purifies the blood, and thus cures Consumption, when every other remedy fails.

"SCHENCK'S SEA-WEED TONIC," for the cure of Dyspepsia or Indigestion, and all diseases arising from debility. This tonic invigorates the digestive organs, supplies the place of the gastric juice when that is deficient, and then enables the patient to digest the most nutritious food. It is a sovereign remedy for all cases of indigestion.

"SCHENCK'S MANDRAKE PILLS," one of the most valuable medicines ever discovered, being a vegetable substitute for calomel, and having all the useful properties ascribed to that mineral, without producing any of its injurious effects.

To these three medicines Dr. J. H. Schenck, of Philadelphia, owes his unrivaled success in the treatment of Pulmonic Consumption. The Pulmonic Syrup ripens the morbid matter, discharges it, and purifies the blood. The Mandrake Pills act upon the liver, removes all obstructions therefrom, give the organ a healthy tone, and cure Liver Complaint, which is one of the most prominent causes of Consumption. The Seaweed Tonic invigorates the powers of the stomach, and by strengthening the digestion and bringing it to a normal and healthy condition improves the quality of the blood, by which means the formation of ulcers or tubercles in the lungs becomes impossible. The combined action of these medicines, as thus explained, will cure every case of Consumption, if the remedies are used in time, and the use of them is persevered in sufficiently to bring the case to a favorable termination.

Dr. Schenck's Almanac, containing a full treatise on the various forms of disease, his mode of treatment, and general directions how to use his medicine, can be had gratis or sent by mail by addressing his Principal Office, No. 15 North Sixth street, Philadelphia, Pa.

Price of the Pulmonic Syrup and Seaweed Tonic each $1.50 per bottle, or $7.50 a half dozen. Mandrake Pills 25 cents a box.

For sale by all druggists and dealers.

Save your Eyes, and how to do it!

DR. BRAGG,
WILL BE
At Wales' Hotel, Weymouth,
MONDAY & TUESDAY,
MARCH 21st & 22d, 1870.

DISEASES OF THE EYE.

DISEASES OF THE EYELIDS

Are very common. If scales come from their edges, or their margins are habitually red, perhaps swollen, with may be, a loss of the eyelashes, or little festers among their roots, while these symptoms are accompanied by a blurring of the sight, which is relieved by closing of the eyelids, or pressing upon them, it is a disease of the lids, and can be cured. We treat thousands of such cases every year.

TUMORS OF THE EYELIDS.

If little bunches, remaining for a length of time, are seen or felt beneath the skin of the eyelids, they are probably tumorous, and can be cured.

Sometimes the eyelids turn out, making the countenance unseemly, often hideous, and entailing much distress upon the sufferer. A skillful operation will restore the lids to their place, remove the deformity, and relieve the smarting, scalding and distressing diseases. Frequently

IN-TURNING EYELIDS.

Tipping the eyelashes upon the ball, produce the most exquisite distress and unceasing misery, while the constant chafing and irritation render blindness more or less complete.

Pulling the hair out only relieves for the moment, to add to the torment, for the reproduced hairs are sharper and more aggravating than their predecessors.

We have cured thousands of these cases and have no pity for those who neglect making use of the services of a skillful oculist.

WATERING EYES.

If the eyes water on using them, or on riding in the wind, we may expect trouble with the tear passage. An entirely *closed tear duct* causes, in addition to the above symptoms, a little sack or bag at the inner corner of the eye, to become filled with matter, which may be pressed out with the finger. Sometimes this sack inflames, ulcerates and causes blindness or out-turning eyelids. The best professional advice should be sought at once.

ACUTE INFLAMMATION OF THE EYE

May be occasioned by a cold, foreign substances, contagion or direct violence, and frequently follows scarlet fever or measels. The white of the eye becomes swollen, is covered with a fine net work of blood vessels; the transparent part of the eye becomes hazy, the lids are bathed with tears and pus, light distresses and neuralgic pains may shoot through the temples and forehead.

SCROFULOUS ULCERATION OF THE EYE.

This disease has all the symptoms just described, while a little band of red veins upon the *transparent part of the eye*, leading to a pustule of excavation, shows the ulcer, which, unless arrested, may soon destroy the eye.

In children, this form of disease is most common, and the pain occasioned by light, the most excessive. I have seen starlight almost throw such patient into convulsions.

We cure thousands of such cases yearly, and we see thousands of those whose sight is forever lost, through the carelessness of their physician, ignorance of their advisers, or their own or parents' neglect. Sometimes we have been affected to tears by the pitiable cases brought before us, lasting monuments of neglect or sordidness.

PTERYGIUM

Is a thin fleshy growth, gradually obscuring the sight.

Patients should apply to us early, in this disease, if they want to retain their sight.

GRANULATED LIDS

Often occasion inflammation of the eyes.—On everting the lids, the whole of their inner surface will be found covered with pimples or granulations, which chafe, irritate, and finally destroy the eyeball, by their continued scratchings. Such cases require constitutional and local treatment, and although many are stubbornly obstinate in the hands of many we always cure them speedily and permanently.

CATARACTS.

When the pupil of the eye appears brown, gray or white, accompanied by blindness; if the patient sees better at dusk, but at all times through a mist or fog, it is probably Cataract, and we can soon tell you whether an operation would be advisable or not.

We operate upon hundreds of such cases yearly, and with the most flattering success. We have seen the old man restored again to usefulness, and the youth reading with ease, who was born blind. Such wonderful steps has our art made towards the miraculous.

CROSS EYES.

Either turning in or out, greatly disfigure the owner, and invariably injure sight.—Many are blind in one eye from this cause, without knowing it. Parents should have their children's eyes straightened at once. An adult should not put off the operation a single day. We can straighten such eyes in a minute or thereabouts, and with scarcely any pain, while the improvement in one's appearance can scarcely be imagined.

AMAUROSIS.

Amaurotic troubles are not generally visible to the non-professional examiner; still, many of the symptoms are so marked, that we have little difficulty in surmising the nature of the disease. Dark specks or spots, or motes float before the eye. Luminous bodies, fogs, hazes and dazzles seem to interrupt vision. Sight comes and goes, while pains in the eyes, temples, or back of the head, may or may not accompany the disease. Persons experiencing any of the symptoms should lose no time, but seek the best professional advice at once.

ARTIFICIAL EYES.

When the eye is lost, we fit in artificial ones. They are worn without pain, and are so natural as to defy detection.

TUMORS, CANCEROUS AFFECTIONS, GROWTHS, DEEP SEATED AFFECTIONS, AND RHEUMATISM OF THE EYE.

Are of frequent occurrence. Their accurate description would require more space than we can bestow in this communication. Any sufferer from these complaints should have an interview with us at once. To delay, is to trifle with sight, and to provoke a fate worse than death itself, even blindness. We cannot close our remarks without cautioning those suffering from eye diseases, against procrastination or delay—against the indiscriminate use of harsh and debilitating remedies so frequently recommended by ignorant, though well meaning advisers—against confiding these organs, which are of such inestimable import to mankind, to the care of inexperienced physicians, or to the illiterate quack. The treatment of eye diseases is founded upon common sense.—In choosing the physician with whom to entrust your eyes, go to those who have the most experience, and the greatest skill, and trust all to them and the kindness of an overruling Providence.

OUR TERMS.

Our terms are always reasonable. No large fees are exacted for treatment, patients being charged only for the length of time they are under our care.

OUR VISITS.

Our visits are always made promptly on the days advertised, and we visit our office about once in every two months throughout the year. Many of our offices we have visited thus frequently for several years.—Persons unable to call may consult Dr. Bragg by mail, by addressing him, with a full description of the case, at the INFIRMARY, CHELSEA, MASS. Box 253.

Lectures on the Ear.

DR. BRAGG

Will be in Weymouth, at Wales' Hotel, March 21-22.

DISEASES OF THE EAR.

Blind men have become great, and history hands down their names with pride; but who ever heard of a deaf man celebrated for his eloquence, poetry, art, travel, or self earned wealth? Yet deafness is treated as a trifling complaint; few physicians know aught of its treatment, while to the multitude its causes are indeed unknown. One reason for this ignorance undoubtedly is, that without appropriate instruments the ear is never seen, and patients can only judge by symptoms, and not by sight. We cannot put an instrument into every man's hand, but we can give a description of certain diseases whereby he may recognize them.

NOISES IN THE HEAD

Are so common as to seldom alarm, and yet they are very annoying, sometimes almost driving one crazy. Sometimes they resemble the hissing of steam, the roar of a distant waterfall, the tinkling of a bell, waves on the seashore, or the sighing of the wind. Such noises have great significance. They tell of chronic inflammation going on, of certain deafness in the future. Its approach is slow, but none the less sure. Sometimes it heralds serious troubles with the brain, as apoplexy, inflammation, or paralysis. Never neglect its warnings; seek the advice of the best aurist at once.

FOREIGN SUBSTANCES IN THE EAR

Often occasion such noises, and frequently the most distressing pain, with deafness.—We have removed grains of corn, peas, pens, pins, pencils, insects, and cotton, (thoughtlessly crowded in years before,) from ears. Removal, from their shape and size, is often extremely difficult, and we have repeatedly seen the hearing entirely lost by continued efforts of some kind friend or well-meaning physician, who had destroyed the ear drum through the want of proper instruments or necessary skill.

HARDENED WAX

Occasionally causes deafness, by closing up the ear. Every tyro thinks he can remove this, and yet we have frequently had cases, in whose ears physicians had worked in vain for hours, until the swelling and tenderness of the parts, when they were finally sent to us, rendered its removal an extremely delicate and difficult job.

ITCHING IN THE EAR.

Accompanied by dry scales or scabs, with perhaps a fetid moisture or occasionally small boils, are the symptoms of an ear disease which is very annoying, and frequently occasions deafness. Patients should call on us at once and not neglect it.

EXCESSIVE SECRETION OF EAR WAX

Or a diminished supply, often precede deafness. These symptoms should be attended to at once.

INFLAMMATION OF AUDITORY TUBE

Is accompanied by violent and excessive pain. Continued noises distress, the ear swells, and matter, sooner or later, forms the discharge which brings relief, until some slight cause again occasions an attack.—Patients should attend to this disease in time, for total deafness often ensues, and treatment frequently saves a succession of these attacks.

A RUNNING FROM THE EAR.

A discharge from the ear is by far the most frequent of all aural diseases, but whether owing to the variableness of our climate, the prevalence of a scrofulous taint, or to neglect, it is difficult to say. It is essentially a disease of infancy and youth, seldom appearing in middle life, and still less frequently in advanced years, and although adults often suffer, it is generally found the discharge, if not of very recent date, came on years before. In the majority of patients, the disease has been of many years continuance, and we can only wonder how sensible men and refined women go through life, unconcerned, with such a loathsome disease about them.

TEETHING.

The sudden subsidence of an attack of so e eyes, scarlet fever, measles, the effects of colds or scrofulous gatherings, usually usher in this tedious complaint, although the discharge sometimes commences without pain, a slight moisture, of unpleasant smell, on the finger, (inserted to relieve an itching,) being the first symptom noticed.

The ears of patients presented for treatment are generally filled with slimy muco-purulent, ropy fluid, of a greenish yellow color and fœtid smell, protruding through which appears, in many cases, a red fungus or a pale fibrous polypus, or, perhaps, wriggling maggots. Often we find that the small bones of the ear have been discharged, or decayed pieces of the skull itself have come away. Sometimes fistulous openings behind the ear discharge brown, fetid matter. At other times the motor portion of the seventh pair of nerves becomes affected, and paralysis of one-half of the face takes place; and we have repeatedly known *insanity* and *death* to end the neglected disease, thought so lightly of by the public, (and too often by the profession,) and described as "only a running from the ear." Wild, in his excellent treatise on the ear, remarks that "so long as a discharge is present, we never can tell how, when or where it will end."

OTORRHŒA

Is the name usually applied by aural surgeons to the disease just described, and practitioners, in prescribing for it, too often forget that the discharge which accompanies it is merely a symptom of the affection, and *not* the disease itself. Another mistake which is often committed, is the belief that the malady upon which the discharge depends will, in time, disappear spontaneously, or that the patient, especially if a child, will gradually outgrow it. Such an opinion is as *absurd* as it is culpable, and cannot be too severely censured.—The poor patient, confiding in the judgment of his medical adviser, goes on from bad to worse, until, awakening from his dream, he finds that his ear is completely disorganized and that he is irremediably deaf.

This disease *can be cured*, and always with perfect safety, and an improvement in the general health is invariably the result of such a cure, and in twelve years of constant practice, curing thousands of such cases annually, I have yet to see the first scientifically treated case injured, in any way by a cessation of the discharge.

CATARRHAL DEAFNESS

Is brought on by a cold or a succession of colds. The ears feel stopped, noises in the head distress the ear, eustachean tubes are closed, and the hearing is impaired. Chronic catarrh and throat disease generally occasion deafness; coming on slowly, the patient is unconscious of it, and only discovers it finally by accident. Sufferers cannot be cautioned too earnestly against neglecting this form of disease.

NERVOUS DEAFNESS

Often comes on instantly, is seldom attended with pain, and is often hereditary. It frequently follows brain or typhoid fevers, blows or sudden shocks, the pressure of diseased bone, the inordinate use of quinine, plethora, debility, the irritation of the bowels and stomach, and many other causes. Such cases are not always beyond hope and the advice of a skillful aurist should be speedily sought.

There are many other forms of ear diseases than those described, but their symptoms are obscure and not readily recognized by the non-professional reader. We would again urge upon sufferers from any aural disease, (and as the experience of twelve years of the largest practice in ear diseases in America,) the necessity of prompt treatment in this class of complaints. It is procrastination that shrouds the case from hope, more than the nature of the disease itself. Apply to us early, and we can cure you; delay, and only a divine power can help you.

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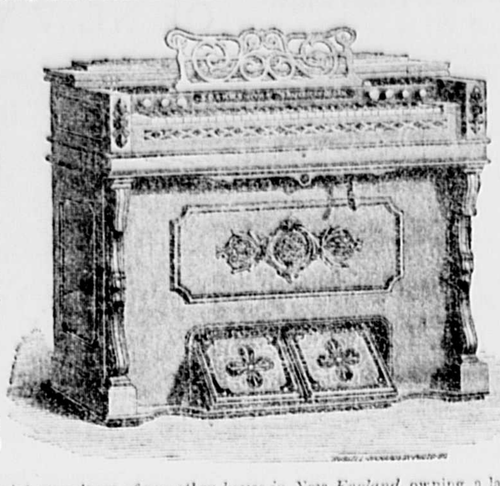

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TOWN MEETING.

NORFOLK SS.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Weymouth, in the County of Norfolk, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are directed to notify the inhabitants of the town of Weymouth qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet at the Town Hall in said Weymouth, on

MONDAY, THE TWENTY-FIRST DAY OF MARCH INST.

at nine o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles:—

1. To choose a Moderator to preside in said meeting.
2. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.
3. To hear the report of the Selectmen on the revision of the Jury List, and act thereon.
4. To hear the Reports of the several Boards of Town Officers, and act thereon.
5. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray the town charges and make appropriations of the same.
6. To determine the manner of repairing the highways, townways and bridges for the year ensuing.
7. Will the town order the working of the widenings and improvements of the several roads heretofore laid out by the County Commissioners and the Selectmen, and appropriate money for the same.
8. By request of the School Committee. Will the Town build one or more School-Houses for the use of said town, and raise money for the same.
9. By request of Abner Holbrook, Trustee of the Pratt School Fund.—Will the town purchase the School-House belonging to said fund; the value of which to be determined by an appraisal, under the rule of law for the abolishment of School District systems, and remit such portion of the purchase money to the tax payers, residents in the limits of the late sixth School District in said town, as has been decreed by the Probate Court authorizing the sale thereof.
10. Will the town accept the Report of the Selectmen, laying out a townway, from a point on Pleasant Street, to Park Avenue.
11. Will the town accept the Report of the Selectmen laying out a townway from Main street, Easterly, past the School-Houses.
12. Will the town accept the Report of the Selectmen laying out a townway from Prospect street, Mount Pleasant, Northerly, to a point near the house of Patrick Ward.
13. Will the town accept the Report of the Selectmen laying out a townway from Broad Street, near the house of Cornelius Green to Essex Street, near the house of John Dizer.
14. Will the town accept the Report of the Selectmen laying out a townway from a point near Middle Street opposite to Essex Street, Easterly to the public road at East Weymouth, near the Works of the Weymouth Iron Co.
15. To hear the Report of Noah Vining and others, requesting the town to raise taxes for the establishment and maintenance of a sufficient Fire Department for the reasonable protection from fire of the inhabitants and property of the village of South Weymouth.
16. Will the town establish Wards therein for the convenience of assessing taxes, and other purposes.
17. Will the town instruct the Selectmen to defend the case in which the Selectmen of Weymouth were sued for not appointing a Liquor Agent in 1869.
18. Will the town appropriate money for the establishment of a Liquor Agency, or have any action in relation to said Agency.
19. Will the town take any action in relation to the demand of Mr. Newman for damages, founded by loss of his son's eye, by an injury caused by another boy, an inmate of the Almshouse.
20. Will the town consider the appeal of Nathaniel Ford for an increase of compensation for damages caused by laying out the new road extending Neck Street, and act thereon.
21. By request of Lovell Bicknell.—Will the town direct that their Annual Meetings for the choice of Town Officers be held on the first Monday of April.
22. Will the town give names to its several School-Houses.
23. To see what action the town will have in relation to Guide Boards.
24. To take such action as may be deemed necessary in relation to the petition of the towns of Cohasset, Scituate, South Scituate and Marshfield, asking an alteration of the law so that those towns may be relieved from their obligation to help maintain the Hingham and Quincy Bridges.
25. By request of M. H. Reed and others.—Will the town adopt any By-Laws or Police Regulations for the better government of the town.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting up attested copies thereof at each of the public meeting-houses, and at the Weymouth Post-Office in said town, seven days at least before the time for holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this eleventh day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy.

NOAH VINING,
ELISHA PRATT,
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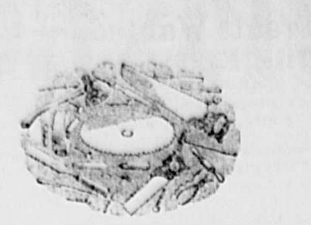

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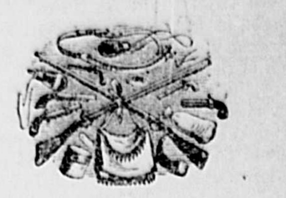

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THE Selectmen of the Town of Weymouth hereby offer a reward of $500 for the arrest and conviction of the incendiary who set fire to the stable of Widow Alvan Reed, at So. Weymouth, on the morning of the 10th inst.

NOAH VINING,
ELISHA PRATT,
W. W. RAYMOND,
JOHN BLANCHARD,
WILLIAM CUSHING,
} Selectmen of Weymouth.

Weymouth, Jan. 18, 1870. 38

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN.

THAT the subscriber has been duly appointed Administratrix of the estate of THOMAS A. KINGMAN, late of Weymouth, in the County of Norfolk, deceased, and, has taken upon on herself that trust by giving bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

MARIA A. KINGMAN, Admx.

March 1, 1870. 44 46

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

That the subscribers have been duly appointed Administrators of the Estate of ELIJAH PIERCE, late of Weymouth, in the County of Norfolk, deceased, and have taken upon themselves that trust by giving bonds, as law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

E. C. PIERCE,
J. E. PIERCE,
} Administrators.

March 1, 1870. 44-46

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

THAT the subscribers have been duly appointed Administrators of the Estate not already administered, of RUTH WHITMARSH, late of Weymouth, in the County of Norfolk, Widow, deceased, and have taken upon themselves that trust by giving bonds, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

JAMES WHITMARSH,
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March 1st, 1870. 45 47

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MRS. E. A. RICHARDSON.
East Weymouth, March 11, 1870. 45

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

NORFOLK SS.

BY the County Commissioners. At a meeting of said Commissioners held at Dedham, in and for said County, on the 14th day of February, A. D. 1870, by adjournment of the December meeting next preceding,

Upon the petition of Elnathan Bates and others, of Weymouth, in said County, representing that so much of Commercial street, so called, in said Weymouth, as lies between the dwelling-house of William Wilder and the store of Messrs Bicknell Brothers, ought to be widened and straightened, and praying for such alterations therein as may seem expedient; and as set forth in said petition (notice having been first duly given to all persons and corporations interested,) said Commissioners met at the office of said Elnathan Bates, in North Weymouth, on the twenty-sixth day of August, A. D. 1869, and viewed the route and premises, and heard all persons and corporations interested, and said case was thence continued and adjourned to the regular September meeting next ensuing, and thence to this meeting; and said Commissioners now adjudge that the public convenience and necessity require that said petition be granted.

On the adjudication aforesaid, Ordered, that the County Commissioners will meet at the Office of Elnathan Bates, in North Weymouth, in said County, on TUESDAY, the fifth day of April, A. D. 1870, at ten o'clock A. M., and thence proceed to view and locate the widenings, straightenings, and alterations in said street, and determine questions of land damages arising therefrom, and take such order in relation to said adjudication as by law they may be authorized to do; and that an attested copy of said adjudication, with this order thereon, be served upon the Clerk of the Town of Weymouth, thirty days at least before the time appointed for said meeting, and also that a like copy be published three weeks successively in the Weymouth Weekly Gazette, a newspaper printed in said Weymouth, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before said day of meeting; and that like copies be posted up in two or more public places in said town of Weymouth, fourteen days at least before said day of meeting, that all persons and corporations interested may then and there appear and be heard if they see cause so to do.

By the County Commissioners.
ERASTUS WORTHINGTON, Clerk.

A true copy of Adjudication on file, and order thereon.
Attest,
ERASTUS WORTHINGTON, Clerk.
45-46

PIQUANTS.

All misers die of the same disease—Moneymania.

Trials for the human understanding—Long walks.

A Yankee who was travelling out West was obliged to stay over night at a hotel of doubtful repute, in a border town, where bar-room fights were the staple amusement. During the night he thought he heard considerable disturbance, and in the morning, on going down, found the landlord sweeping up what he supposed were grapes. He said to him, 'You have pretty large grapes out here?' 'Grapes! grapes!' said the landlord, them's eyes that were gouged out here last night.'

—A lottery suit in New York has brought to light some strange and extraordinary facts, revealing the cause of much of the poverty and crime in the city. No less than *six million of dollars* per annum is received by the sale of lottery tickets, and most of this amount is received from the poor, wretched people, who have scarcely a cent to spend except for the necessaries of life.

One of the short railroads leading out of New York city has decided to issue a free pass for a term of years to every head of a family building and occupying a house at certain points along the road, in order to stimulate the building up the suburbs.

The Missouri Legislature has amended the laws so as to permit women to vote in school matters.

A Fort Scott man, in excavating a cellar, came upon a vein of yellow ochre six feet thick, which sold for $5 a load as fast as taken out.

ANECDOTES AND INCIDENTS.—The entire alphabet is found in these four lines. They form a pleasant stanza for a child to learn:

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He quickly hears the sheep's low cry,
But man, who tastes his finest wheat,
Should joy to lift his praises high.

Keep a list of your joys; and let the joy unspeakable and full of glory be the first.

Rev. James Barnaby, pastor of the Baptist church in Harwich, has been settled over the society about 60 years.

SOAP.—Dr. Gillimette, of Quincy, has invented an excellent soap called the "C. A. G.," which possesses superior qualities for washing clothes and is a great boon to housekeepers. It is sold by Messrs Magee & Penniman, who are introducing it in this place.

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ABINGTON.—The Methodists of East Abington propose to erect a church on the corner of Union and Liberty streets, and are circulating a subscription paper for aid in its erection.

The case of J. W. McDonald, Esq. Principal of one of the High and Grammar Schools in Abington, who was charged with excessive punishment of a scholar, was decided in the teachers favor at Plymouth court.

AN AGED CAT.—The editor of the Plymouth Memorial mentions the death of a cat aged 26 years, who gave birth to a litter of kittens just before her death.

DEDHAM.—From the annual report of the town officers of Dedham, a copy of which has been received by the courtesy of our correspondent "Keokuk", we learn that the expenditures of the town the past year were $74,330.19, of which $22,137.18 was for schools, and $15,590.66 for roads and bridges.

Excavation for the foundation of the new Congregational church in Quincy have been commenced. The church will be of wood, the tower to be 125 feet in height.

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NOAH VINING,
ELISHA PRATT,
W. W. RAYMOND,
JOHN BLANCHARD,
WILLIAM CUSHING, } Selectmen of Weymouth

Weymouth, March 30, 1868. 50ly

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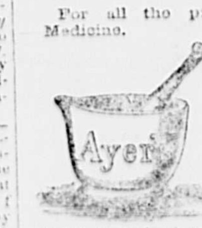

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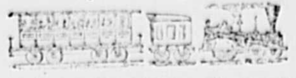

DIRECT ROUTE to Newport, Fall River, Taunton, Plymouth, New York, New Bedford, Cape Cod, Nantucket and the South Shore.

ON and after MONDAY, Nov. 1, 1869, trains will run as follows: Leave Boston for New York at 4.30 and 5.30 P. M.

TRAINS LEAVE BOSTON FOR

Harrison Sq., 7.45, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 11.00 A. M.; 12.00 M.; 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 3.30, 4.10, 4.45, 5.30, 6.15, 6.30, 9.30,* P. M.
Neponset, 7.45, 8.30, 9.00, 9.30, 11.00 A. M.; 12.00 M.; 1.00, 2.00, 3.00, 3.30, 4.10, 4.45, 5.40, 6.15, 6.30, 9.30,* P. M.
Quincy, 7.45, 8.30, 9.00, 11.00 A. M.; 12.00 M.; 2.00, 2.30, 3.30, 4.10, 4.45, 5.00, 5.40, 6.00, 6.30, 9.30, * P. M.
Quincy Adams, 7.45, 9.00, 11.00 A. M.; 2.00, 3.30, 4.10, 4.45, 5.40, 6.30, 9.30, * P. M.
Braintree, 7.45, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 11.00 A. M.; 12.00 M.; 2.00, 2.30, 3.30, 4.10, 4.45, 5.00, 5.40, 6.00, 6.30, 9.30, * P. M.
S. Braintree, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 11.00 A. M.; 12 M.; 2.00, 2.30, 3.30, 4.10, 4.30, 5.00, 5.40, 6.00, 6.30, 9.30, * P. M.
Randolph, 8.30 A. M.; 12.00 M.; 4.30, 5.40 P. M.
No. Stoughton, 12 M., 5.40 P. M.
Stoughton, 8.30 A. M.; 12.00 M.; 4.30, 5.40 P M
North Easton, 8.30 A. M.; 12.00 M.; 4.30, 5.40 P. M.
Easton and Raynham, 8.30 A. M.; 12 M.; 4.30 P. M.
Taunton, 8.30 A. M.; 12M.; 4.30, 5.30, P. M.
East Randolph and East Stoughton, 8.00, 11.00 A. M.; 3.30, 6.00 P. M.
North Bridgewater, 8.00, 11.00 A. M.; 3.30, 4.00, 6.00 P. M.
East & West Bridgewater, 8.00, 11.00 A. M.; 3.30, 6.00 P. M.
Bridgewater, 8.00, 9.00, 11.00 A. M.; 3.30, 4.00, 6 P. M.
Middleboro' 8.00 A. M.; 3.30, 4.00, P. M.
Fall River, (via Bridgewater) 8.00 A. M.; 4.00 P. M.
Fall River, (via Taunton) 8.30 A. M.; 12.00 M.; 4.30, 5.30, P. M.
Newport, 8.30 A. M.; 4.30, P. M.
E. Braintree, 7.45, 11.00 a.m.; 2.30, 4.45, 6.00 p. m.
Weymouth, 7.45, 11.00, a.m.; 2.30, 4.45, 6.00, p.m.
N. Weymouth, 7.45, 11.00, a.m.; 2.30, 4.45, 6.00, p.m.
E. Weymouth, 7.45, 11.00, a.m.; 2.30, 4.45, 6.00 p.m.
Hingham, 7.45, 11.00, a.m.; 2.30, 4.45, 6.00, p.m.
Old Colony House, 7.45, 11.00, a.m.; 2.30, 4.45, 6.00 p.m.
Nantasket, 7.45, 11.00, a.m.; 2.30, 4.45, 6.00, p.m.
Cohasset, 7.45, 11.00, a.m.; 2.30, 4.45, 6.00, p.m.
South Weymouth, 9 am.; 2.30, 5, pm.
North, Centre and South Abington, 9 a.m. 2.30, 5, pm.
East Bridgewater, 9 am, 2.30, 5 pm.
North Hanson, Hanson, Halifax and Plympton, 9 am.; 2.30, 5 pm.
Kingston and Plymouth, 9 am.; 2.30, 5 pm.
New Bedford & Fairhaven, 8 am.; 4 pm.
Cape Cod Railroad, 8 am.; 4 pm.
Milton & Mattapan, 9.30 am.; 1, 00, 3.00, 4.10, 6.15pm.

TRAINS TO BOSTON LEAVE

Plymouth, 6.40, 9.30 am.; 3.40 pm.
Kingston, 6.50, 9.40 am.; 3.50 pm.
Plympton, 6.58, 9.46 am.; 3.57 pm.
Halifax, 7.02, 9.49am.; 4.02 pm.
Hanson, 7.10 9.56 am.; 4.11 pm.
N. Hanson, 7.15 10 am.; 4.16 pm.
East Bridgewater, 7, 9.42 am.; 3.42 pm.
South Abington, 7.29, 10.05 am.; 4.29 pm.
Abington, 7.25, 10.10 am.; 4.28 pm.
No. Abington, 7.30, 10.13 am.; 4.31 pm.
S. Weymouth, 7.36, 10.24 am.; 4.43 pm.
Cohasset, 6.20, 7.00, 8.10 a.m., 12.40, 4.15, 5.50, p. m.
Nantasket 6.25, 7.05, 8.15 a.m, 12.45, 4.20, 5.55 p. m.
† O. C. House, 6.28, 7.09, 8.18, a.m. 12.50 4.25, 5.58, p.m.
Hingham, 6.32, 7.15, 8.23 am, 12.55, 4.30, 6.01p.m.
E. Weymouth 6.41, 7.23, 8.32 a.m., 1.10, 4.40, 6.08 pm.
N. Weymouth 6.46, 7.28, 8.36, p.m.; 1.15, 4.45, 6.12, pm.
Weymouth 6.50, 7.33, 8.41am., 1.20, 4.49, 6.16pm.
E. Braintree 6.54, 7.36, 8.45am., 1.27, 4.52, 6.19pm.
Newport, 7.10 am.; 3 pm.
Fall River, (via Taunton) ‡ 4.10, 6.40, 8.25 am.; 3.40 pm.
Fall River, (via Bridgewater) 6.55 am.; 3.45 pm.
Middleboro', 7.40, 9.45 am.; 4.28 pm.
Bridgewater, 6.25, 6.50, 7.58, 9.30 am.; 12.45, 4.48 pm.
E. & W. Bridgewater, 6.40, 8.05 am.; 12.50, 4.54 pm.
North Bridgewater, 7, 8.21, 9.45 am.; 1.05, 5.10 pm.
E. Stoughton, 7.09, 8.33 am.; 1.13, 5.18 pm.
E. Randolph, 7.15, 8.39 am.; 1.19, 5.23 pm.
Taunton, 7.15, 7.35, 9.05 am.; 4.20 pm.
Raynham, 7.41 am.; 4.27 pm.
Easton, 7.51 am.; 4.39 pm.
North Easton, 7, 8, 9.30 am.; 4.45 pm.
Stoughton, 7.06, 8.07, 9.37 am.; 4.52 pm.
North Stoughton, 7.10 am.;
Randolph, 7.15, 8.15, 9.45 am.; 5.02 pm.
South Braintree, 6.05, 6.55, 7.21, 7.47, 8.22, 8.46, 9.15, 10.35 am.; 1.30, 3, 4.55, 5.03, 5.30, 8.30† pm.
Braintree, 6.09, 6.59, 7.28, 7.40, 7.52, 8.26, 8.50, 9.20, 10.40 am.; 1.34, 3.04, 4.57, 5.11, 6.24, 8.34† pm.
Quincy Adams, 6.12, 7.02, 7.43, 7.55, 9.23, 10.43 am; 1.37, 3.08, 5.01, 6.27, 8.37† pm.
Quincy, 6.16, 7.05, 7.34, 7.46, 8, 8.32, 8.57, 9.26, 9.56, 10.47 am.; 1.40, 3.11, 5.04, 5.16, 5.39, 6.30, 8.40† pm.
Neponset, 6.25, 7.15, 7.41, 7.53, 8.20, 8.40, 9.06, 9.33, 10.30, 10.56 am.; 1.50, 2.10, 3.22, 5.11, 5.30, 6.40, 8.50† pm,
Harrison Sq., 6.29, 7.19, 7.45, 8.24, 8.44, 9.10, 9.37, 10.34, 11 am., 1.54, 2.14, 3.26, 5.16, 5.34, 6.44, 8.54† pm.

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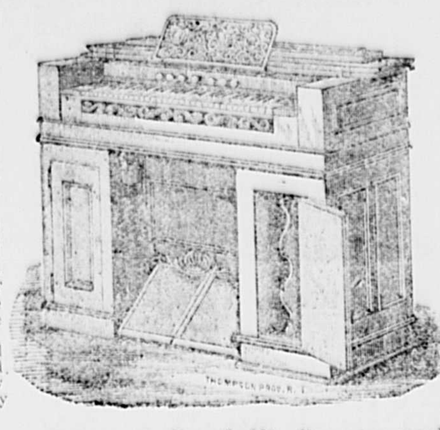

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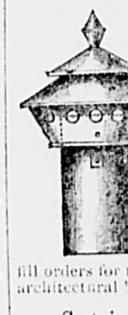

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THE MYSTERY OF THE SNOW FLAKE.

The winter night sets in clear and cold. A biting wind blows out of the Northwest. The stars glitter in the frosty air. The wheel of a passing cart screams in the crisp and powdery snow. By morning the pavement will be covered with rime; the pond and the brook with ice; the window panes with stars and crystal foliage; or the whole land will have clothed itself in a mantle of new fallen snow, white, pure, and cold.

When the snow falls quietly without much wind, catch the great feathery flakes on your sleeve, and look at their shapes before they melt. They are not always alike, but oftenest the flakes consist of little wheels having six spokes and no rim. They are clear, transparent bits of ice, rather less than one fourth of an inch in diameter, and thin as paper. Several hundred varieties of these snow crystals have been observed, and their figures drawn, and yet almost all show the same six-sided or six-rayed form.

Now what do we know about water? The chemist procures a certain kind of gas which he calls hydrogen—to save space and time let us say H, just as we speak of Mr. A, or Mr. B. H is very light, so that it takes the upper place in any thing which contains it. You can keep it only in an inverted vessel; it is invisible; it will burn freely in the air, with a faint, purple-blue light. Put a bell-glass full of it down over a lighted candle; the candle will go out, but the gas will light at the mouth of the bell, with a puff, and will continue to burn there. As the bell is raised up the candle may be lighted again by the burning gas.

He also procures some oxygen, which we may call O. This is likewise a gas, invisible, a little heavier than air, so that it will not stay in an inverted jar, like hydrogen. It will not burn, but a candle lowered into it burns fiercely; a bit of burning charcoal fills a jar with showers of brilliant sparks; sulphur burns with a lambent blue flame; iron or steel wire sparkles more brilliantly and more abundantly than charcoal, and burns like tinder; while phosphorus glows in a globe filled with oxygen, like a newly risen sun.

Suppose, now, that we have a tin tube nine inches long and one inch in diameter. Let us fill three inches of the tube with O, and the remaining six inches with H, and stop its mouth with a cork. The two gases are mixed in the tubes, but are not combined. If we touch fire to them through a small hole which we have made for the purpose, they combine at once with an explosion; the cork is driven out with much noise; if the vessel was large it might burst; but if strong enough to withstand the pressure and to retain the exploding gasses, we should find afterwards in it, a small quantity of water.

The combination of one atom of O with two atoms of H forms one particle of water.

Now, see what all this has to do with the way frost forms a snow flake. Put three round things, peas, shot, or marbles, down side by side, as closely as you can, and see if they do not make a triangle, thus: ∴ The three sides are equal, for the three atoms are of the same size. So, then, each particle of water—like the atoms, too small to be seen in any way—is a minute, thin triangle of equal sides.

The force which joins the atoms of O and H, is called affinity. There is another force which tends to hold together two particles of water, which is called cohesion. It fastens many particles of the same sort into one mass. But there is still another force which comes between the particles, striving to keep them asunder, and this force is heat. Heat and cohesion are sworn foes; as one or the other get the mastery the form of the substance is changed. If cohesion overcomes, the particles of water cling together with such force as to become a solid mass, which we call ice; if heat has almost, but not quite, the mastery, the water is fluid; if heat conquers, the particles fly from each other in steam; they fill whatever vessel they happen to be in.

The air is full of particles of water in the form of vapor or steam. But the cold wind blows and takes away the heat which kept the particles apart, and the cohesion begins to gather them together again. Bit by bit they come and each arranges itself beside its fellow in a certain way, which they all very well know. How many equal sided triangles can you gather round one point? Just six, to be sure, and they make together, a regular six-sided figure which we call a hexagon. From each of the six sides we may build out lines, arranging the triangles side by side, and by regular additions may make multitudes of beautiful patterns, in each of which the corresponding parts shall always be alike. So it is with the snow crystals. The designs are many, but the lines which form them always make with each other the angles of an equal-sided triangle, or the double of those angles.

The air in a room is full of water particles. As they float against the window pane on a cold night, the heat is withdrawn from them, and they join each other upon the surface of the glass. Each lies beside his fellow, making always the same angle, and so branching in never ending variety of graceful foliage, or in star-shaped patterns.

The water in the bowl begins to chill; a crystal of ice joins the side of the bowl; another follows, and another, forming a little beam of ice, which always adheres to the side at the angle of an equal sided triangle. This beam shoots out further and further on the surface of the water, growing broader and thicker, as bit by bit the particles of water part with their heat, and are placed in order by the winning power of cohesion. Presently a second beam shoots out from one side of the first, always with the same angle; and then a third, branch after branch. Other beams have been laid from other sides of the bowl; the growing lines meet, join and strengthen each other. Pour out the remaining water, and the bowl is full of interlacing rods of ice, delicate as needles, and crossing apparently in every direction. Different sets springing from different sides of the round bowl, meet at angles which differ from those described, but the several spikes of one set conform always to the law.

Leave the water in, and soon all the particles will have joined the solidifying mass, and the whole is frozen tightly together. If, now, we take a solid block of ice with two parallel faces, such as are formed on the surface of still water, and pass a beam of strong sunlight through the block at right angles to these parallel faces, presently we see a wonderful and beautiful change. The rays of heat in the sunshine are caught by the ice, and at once begin to pull down the work done by the cohesive force, when the heat was before withdrawn. The shadow of the piece of ice, after passing through a lens, may fall upon a screen, and many persons may see the result at once. First, round spots appear; then about these dots, in six directions, branches begin to shoot forth, as the particles are melted down and fall away from the mass, one after another, reversing the order in which they were builded together. The forms are such as appear in the figure, in which the six-rayed structure of the fern-like flowerets is readily seen. We have shown some of the wonders of form which grow necessarily out of the chemical structure of a particle of water. [Bright Side.

THE INCOME TAX.

'Last week,' says the Philadelphia Times, 'witnessed the joyous anniversary of the birth-day of cherry tree George, who, when he grew to manhood, became as Washington, and as he had no children of his own he made himself the Father of his Country. Last week was the glorious anniversary of the distribution of the blank income tax returns, on which the United States politely asks you to make a full statement of your private business affairs, and then taxes you 5 per cent. for furnishing the information. I received one of these forms, and after reading its wonderful contents I snatched my hat, and hastened to the Assessor's office to remonstrate with that individual. His office was thronged with an excited crowd, who all waved their blank returns like flags of truce over the head of the unfortunate Assessor. Forty-five of the taxable citizens spoke at once, and kept up their verbal crossfire until seven platoons of policemen, under the command of General St. Clair Andrew Frederick Gonsalvo Mulholland, entered upon the scene, and restored order.

'Now talk one at a time,' ordered the assessor.

A baker of the Teutonic persuasion obtained the floor, and opened the ball with:

'What for you send me such a dings like dis?'

'To pay your taxes to the United States.'

'Bay my daxes; and for what? I makes no money. I lose two, tree, four, seven thousand dollars'

'Put that in your statement.'

A Milesian came next.

'Blood an' ouns, Mister Assessor, an' what am I to do wid the likes of dis?'

'Fill it up.'

'Fill the divil up! D—n the bit of a taste of a goold watch, or billiard table, or shtocks have I got.' Shure I've lost money iver since I've bin in the country.'

'Put it in your schedule.'

'Is this bit of paper the skedule?'

'Thin, Misther Assessor, wouldn't you be after filling it up for a poor boy?'

'No, sir. You must fill it up yourself, and swear to it.'

'And wouldn't shwearing at it do, widout filling it, at all at all?'

'No! The next.'

And so it went on. All of those present had lost money. It is my belief that we are on the verge of one of the most fearful financial crashes in history. In that Assessor's office I was convinced of the rottenness of the finances. All the people in this city are living on nothing. They are kept in horses and carriages by the charitable New Yorkers, and go to the opera, theatres and concerts on dead-head tickets. Expenses of billiards, drinks and cigars are paid for by the Guardians of the Poor. With these awful truths flashing upon my mind, I approached the Assessor's desk. He was also a poor Philadelphian, who had not made a cent for a countless number of years, and approaching starvation at a 2.40 pace. He wore diamond shirt studs, a half pound of gold watch-chain, and patent leather boots. I felt for the poor man and for my schedule simultaneously. He recognized me, and murmured that he was happy to see me.

'What is this impertinent thing for?'

'Taxes!'

'Now, look here; this document has got the name of Jabez Jenkins emblazoned thereon in violet ink, but it does not pertain to me. Send it to Joseph Harrison, or Jay Cooke, or one of the Rothschilds. I have no silver, except an old pencil case, at my circumscribed bed room at my hash-pied boarding house; positively cannot accommodate a billiard table; there is not room in the back yard for any carriages; and the tub wherein the landlady entraps rain water will not float a yacht worth taxing. Then, my assessing friend, my wife has no income, nor have my children; in fact, I never had a wife. Neither have I any U. S. stocks; nor have I speculated in shares; in short, your schedule no more applies to me than champagne does to an anniversary banquet of the Sons of Temperance.'

'But, Mr. Jenkins, it is merely formal. Of course, we know that comparatively few citizens possess any of the articles enumerated in the return.'

'Then, my jolly raker-in of greenbacks, why does the head waiter have them printed? Why does he waste paper and printer's ink to such an alarming extent? Why, he just might as well add, Do you keep any tigers in your back yard? Have you any private Atlantic telegraph cables? Do you own any members of the Legislature? Have you a farm that would be just the thing for a House of Correction? Is there any Girard Trust about you?

'There is much force in what you say, Jenkins, but it can't be helped now; fill up your little sked and hand her in.'

I did as desired, and then the Assessor and I visited a hotel that sported a magnificent bar, but no bed-room to speak of, and a wondrously small dining hall. We inspected the whisky—my friend, the Assessor, is an amateur inspector of distilled spirits, he charges the government nothing for this duty either. Does it from motives of the purest patriotism, and I, with my usual self-sacrificing spirit assisted him in his painful and unselfish duty. While we were inspecting many of the poor men that had not made a cent last year, came in, and they, too, inspected. And so I came to the conclusion that Uncle Sam could keep up his household without the income tax, at which everybody grumbles, and stick to the whisky tax, to which nobody objects, to any alarming extent. All our friends who could not understand the schedules, were wonderfully well posted in the various grades of whisky. And when the Assessor asks them to test them, they did it with marvellous skill and alacrity. And they all said 'down with the income tax and with the whisky too.'

OLD MR. GRUMPS.

I suppose you never knew old Mr. Grumps? I did or rather I did not know him personally, but a little bird once told me all about him.

Well, then, Mr Grumps was a bachelor who lived in dark chambers. Such a very cross old man he was, that no one would have anything to do with him, except when they were brought in contact with him by business. There he lived from one year's end to another in his musty fusty old room, growling and grumbling all the day long. Opposite his window was a school house. When he heard the children playing he used to grind his teeth and declare that all boys *and girls* were made of nothing more than "snakes, snails and puppy dogs' tails."

One evening Mr. Grumps sat snarling and muttering at every sound he heard. The fire in the stove had gone out, and the room was quite chilly. Cold without, Mr. Grumps was naturally cold within, and dark as the embers in the stove were, so also was the dying fire in his heart. A tapping came at Mr. Grumps door, and he crossly called out, "Who's there?"

"Goodwill," a pleasant voice replied.

"And what does Goodwill want?"

"To come in."

"Shift out of that then or I'll throw a bucket of water over you. Goodwill indeed! What do I care about Goodwill. Goodwill's all humbug."

"Very good, Mr. Grumps, it's only once a year I knock at your door, and perhaps the next time I come you will have relented. I did not expect *you* to let me in, but I thought you might like to be good for once.

Mr. Grumps puckered his face into "sour apples," wishing fail frivolities were done away with." Hardly had he recovered from his first surprise than a knocking again came at the door.

"More humbug I'll be bound," he exclaimed, "Who's there?"

"Peace."

"Peace! Can't I speak as I like in my own room?" asked Mr. Grumps, thinking the fairy—it was a fairy—meant him to hold his tongue.

"My name is Peace," she patiently replied.

"Really, then, madam," said Mr. Grumps with much patience, "I cannot say I have the honor of knowing you, so you will please retire. I ain't going to open my door to you nor any such humbug. Who is that other humbug you bring with you?"

"My companion is Prosperity."

"Well, I don't know Prosperity. She never came when wanted."

"Because without me she never goes anywhere. I am obliged to introduce her, and you have ever turned me away."

"Yes, I always turn such humbugs away; and do so again now. Hook it!"

The idea of his talking that way to those two fairies! But they took no notice, and went away without another word.

With a start Mr. Grumps heard a squeaking little voice inquire if "all was right."

"Yes, come along, here he is," another answered.

Mr. Grumps felt dreadfully astonished to find his room filled by a number of little men. Queer little fellows they were, not more than three feet high, and all wearing red clothes, and swords. Where they came from Mr. Grumps could not see.

"Who are you, and what is it you want?" he tremulously asked, but no one seemed to take any notice. They were all talking together, but at last one stepped forward, and addressing the others said, pointing to Mr. Grumps, who was as white as a sheet:

"Here is the offender. Grumpy old Mr. Grumps. He has spoilt all our plans to do him good and now he must suffer. His wickednesses are many and the only punishment I can think of is that he shall be confined in the nursery for two hours with all the noisest children in the world, each being supplied with penny whistles, talking dolls, barking dogs, drums, tin trumpets, hammers and nails."

There was a murmur of applause among the little men at this. Mr. Grumps was terrified.

"Oh, don't do *that!*" he cried, "do anything but put me with children!"

"Ah-ah-a-a-ah," growled the little men.

"Oh-o-o-o-ooo!" whimpered Grumps.

"Now, suppose," said the little man who first spoke, "some children happen to be cross occasionally, what would you do with them?"

Mr. Grumps was about to say, "give them candy," but all the little men looked at him as much as to say "story-teller!" and he stammered out, "I'd have them turned into what they were made of."

"What are little boys made of?" all the little men began singing, and Mr. Grumps had to sing back:

"Snakes and snails and puppy dog tails,
That's what little boys are made of."

Then the little men sang:

"What are little girls made of?"

Mr. Grumps wanted to say, "sugar and spice," but as something was making him sing his exact opinion, he burst into:

"Pepper and spite and all that's nasty—
That's what little girls are made of."

"Fie, for shame?" everybody called out, and when Mr. Grumps discovered a lot of pretty little girls in the room, he did not feel very comfortable.

"Mr. Grumps," then proceeded little man No. 1, "you are guilty of cruel slander, and insulting three of our sisters, Goodwill, Peace and Prosperity. They begged me to forgive you, however, but that can not be done. Men, bring in the materials," he continued, speaking to his followers.

"Oh, tell me what you are going to do!" bellowed Mr. Grumps when he saw two large cans of paint, one white, the other black, being brought in.

"You have led such a useless life that we are now going to render you serviceable. We intend making a splendid rocking-horse of you."

A lot of the little men then got brushes and daubed Mr. Grumps all over with the white paint. Some then came round with the black paint and made big black spots here and there.

"Stop, stop! you're putting it into my eyes! Oh, oh! you are shoving the brush into my mouth," cried Mr. Grumps.

Some little men as carpenters then sawed Mr. Grumps' legs and arms off and placed new ones on. He was not pained though, for he had been turned into wood and fastened to a pair of rockers, and a lot of long horse hairs glued down his head and back, which made a capital mane, and everything being finished, the little men disappeared leaving the room again quiet.

"Got anything for the children, Mr. Grumps?" asked Santa Claus, coming into the room. "Oh, I see! been buying a rocking-horse for his godchildren, and left it for me to take. I couldn't have thought it possible!" As I was going through the street the other day, I saw a merry old gentleman going into a toy store with several boys and girls. He reminded me of Mr. Grumps, but how could that be? The bird didn't tell me that Mr. Grumps only dreamed he was a rocking-horse, and carried off by Santa Claus. It is not unlikely though, and perhaps a dream did change "*old*" into the merry Mr. Grumps I last saw.

A CITIZEN'S IDEA OF DRESS PARADE.

From the 'West Point Scrap Book,' we take the following in answer to inquiries received:

Perhaps the most pleasing sight at the 'Point, is evening dress parade. It is 5 o'clock P. M. and the sun is gently sinking behind the Highlands, when the drums at the barracks commence their evening call. Now from the sally-port cadets, attired in full military panoply, saunter forth and lounge in the vicinity of their respective companies. Now the drums flam once more, and almost coincidently a long row of 'gray coats' stand, as statues, still and motionless, at 'carry arms.' The spruce orderly calls the roll. Each man as he answers 'here' comes to an 'order.'

They are then formed in two ranks, and wait for the band to play them to parade. The band now in obedience to the wave of the baton of the drum-major, beats to the adjutant's call; and that functionary, attended by his 'markers' and the sergeant-major, marches out to make the alignment. Now the captain assumes the command; and while from the band there streams a gush of music, the four companies march to their destination. Each company in its turn is aligned by its captain; and all are dressed by the adjutant. They then came with a crash to an 'order;' and the band after three parliamentary strains 'beats off' down the front, behind a gaudily dressed gentleman with a muff on his head and a red pudding bag hanging out of the top thereof. In his hand he carries a tasseled cane, of a large size, which he wields as easily as a child would a straw. On arriving at the end of his journey he turns about, and boring a hole in the centre of the band with his magical baton, disappears from view in the bowels thereof. Soon he emerges, red and pompous as ever; and the band by some mysterious movement known only to itself, apparently mix up in inextricable confusion in endeavering to follow their leader. But now they come in as regular order as before, and then march back to their starting point. Arriving there they play a psalm tune, then give three strains more, and at the final one the evening gun is fired, the Stars and Stripes flutter to the ground and the cadets are called to 'attention' by the adjutant.

The battalion is now brought to a 'rear open order,' the adjutant walks stiffly down the front, files to the right in a manner shockingly abrupt, faces the battalion, and sings out 'Sent harms!' An instantaneous clash and every cadet private regards with speculative eyes his polished gun barrel. The adjutant then faces about, and tells the 'officer in charge' that the battalion is now at his service.

This dignitary waves his hand, and as he draws forth his trusty blade, the adjutant marches to the left and rear of him. The 'officer in charge' now braces his sword close to his shoulder, grinds his heels together and vociferates 'Cree hump!' and the cadets once more 'carry arms,' with automaton like precision. The officer again yells 'Chare peanuts!' and every private faces half to the right, and repels an imaginary foe; 'Cree hump?' and they resume their former position; 'Der hump!' and they come to an 'order.' The officer in charge sheathes his sword, the orderlies report, and the adjutant reads the orders—' 'Snied States Milta' Cademy, 'South Point,' en York, J'ly s'teenth, 'and sixty-four! 'Shal lorders, 'umber two!' etc. etc.

Finally the cadet officers march in a line to the officer in charge,' shake their fists in his face, and cut away with great precipitation on his retaliating in a like manner.

The companies who thus far have been regarding the above proceedings with stolid indifference, now 'carry arms' and are marched off at 'double time' by the orderly sergeant, the band disappears, and the spectators withdraw, no doubt highly edified with what they have seen, and especially with what they have heard.

At a church collection in New Jersey, the colored preacher said, "My friends, let me caution those of you who put in buttons not to break out the eyes, as it spoils them for further use."

FREE CHURCHES.

Mr. Editor:—An item in a recent number of your paper in relation to Rev. James Freeman Clarke's free church, in Boston, might give the reader the idea that the reason the free system had been so successful in that case, was because the society paid but a small salary to their minister. Mr. Clarke receives at least twenty-five hundred dollars, which though small for a man of his ability, will compare well with the salaries paid by other churches of the same means. His society contains but few rich people, but it not only supports free worship successfully, but in addition often raises as much more money for outside charitable purposes.

At the beginning of the year, the treasurer distributes subscription cards in the seats, which members fill out with such amounts as they please and these amounts have generally been fully as great as the pews would have rented for. People sit where they please, many families being almost always in the same seats (a result easily attained by being in good season) but if they happen to take the seat it is all right. This is a very pleasant arrangement for strangers who feel no fear that they are intruding; it is a very common remark "how home-like the church is."

Two years ago the society subscribed with a very little help from outside parties about fifty-five thousand dollars to build a new church large enough to accommodate from twelve to fifteen hundred people, which is usually filled. These subscriptions were a gift out right, no one acquiring any property in the church. The property is held in trust for a free church and if at any time the society fails to keep it up it passes into the hands of the "Benevolent Fraternity of Churches," who already support several free churches in the city. The plan can hardly be now considered an experiment, as it has stood the test of nearly thirty years with increasing strength and is fast growing in favor with the public.

It is to be hoped that the desire of some of the members of the society in East Weymouth to have their new church a free one may be realized. Is there any reason why the worship of a common Father should not be as free as the *love* we praise or the *mercy* we hope for?

J.

[Communicated.]

PURGATORY.

The Rev. J. B. Dunn of Boston in his sermon last Sunday says —

According to the teachings of Romanism, but few persons, if any, however good, are at death fit to enter heaven, while on the other hand, but few are at death so bad, but that they may be fitted for heaven. To meet this the Church of Rome builds up a place which belongs neither to this world nor to the next, and fills it with fire, and sets this Purgatory like Mahomet's Coffin, floating somewhere between heaven and earth. Into this floating furnace the souls of men are cast and only permitted to leave, when in the estimation of the priest masses enough have been said, and paid for.

How is it that since Pope Adrian the third did confess that there was no mention of Purgatory in scripture, or in the writings of the Holy Fathers, the Council of Trent should have decreed the existence of such a place; and how is it that priests had liberty to build in that fiery place, eight different apartments, adapted to different classes of society, for kings, princes, grandees, noblemen, merchants, ladies, trades people, and the common poor, answering to the degrees of intense heat, have always been questions for which I have in vain sought answers. Other questions have arisen we wish this Ecumenical Council would settle. For example: Whence do the priests derive their knowledge as to who are, and who are not inhabitants of that place? Now and again the Catholic priests inform us of high mass being celebrated for the repose of certain souls, months, and even years after souls have left their bodies. How does the Church of Rome know that this and that soul is not at rest? How is it that the priests of that church are so positive in their statement as to what saints are in glory and who are in purgatory?

History informs us that a certain nun had it revealed to her by an angel, that the soul of King Phillip the Fourth of Spain, as well as the soul of the shoemaker, were still in purgatory, long years after their death—the one in the royal departments, the other in the lowest. And history goes on to tell how at the request of the new King, Charles of Spain, the son of King Phillip paid for some thousands of masses to be offered up, on which being done, the souls were transferred from purgatory to heaven. Do priests of the present day receive their information from the same source? I will not insinuate that the priests pray just as long as the money holds out and no longer, but were I an adherent to that church, and interested in the deliverance of some souls from purgatory, it would be more satisfactory to me, to know precisely how much it would take to deliver each soul, and if it could not be done at once on payment of the whole amount down, or what is the exact diminution of suffering that each mass effects, otherwise I might be praying for the relief of those who were already delivered. My present conviction is, that it would take as many masses to get a soul out of purgatory, as it would of snowballs to heat an oven.

If there must be a purgatory then we say, let it be for those who preach up a purgatory and its fearful torment for the sake of filthy lucre. But as a priest once said to Canning 'I am afraid many of them will go farther, and fare worse.'

For in what light does this doctrine of purgatory place the priesthood? They believe, or at least teach, that the friends of their flocks are lying weltering in a lake of fire, from which they could deliver them, by saying masses for them, and recommending them to the prayers of the congregation, and yet they will not say these masses nor so recommend them, unless they be regularly paid for it.

How can a man represent himself as believing that a single soul is suffering torment so dreadful; that it may continue to suffer there for ages; that I have the means in my power of relieving it, and yet shall I coolly wait till I be paid before I use these means?

EAST BRAINTREE.

Having been obliged to keep the house on Sunday, owing to the inclemency of the weather, and by chance taking up from among the few volumes comprising our library, Milton's "Paradise Lost" we indulged ourselves in writing the following thoughts arising from our perusal of it. A very perverse theory to our mind, prevailed with a certain class of literary minds in England during the last century, and finds favor amongst a certain class of writers in our day, and who have an interest in propagating it we fear, that the true and only test of a Poet's merit is his popularity with the multitude. Against this opinion, which by a very common progress, had risen from being a paradox into a common-place, and which was fostered by patrons, who wished to have it believed that there was at least one subject which they could understand without study or even reflection, writers who felt that they had thoughts which could not be intelligible to the herd of vulgar minds, stoutly combated. They maintained, and we think, consistently, that there was nothing in argument or experience to justify any such notion; and that the principle of all other studies was at variance with it, for no one is so simple as to contend, that a metaphysician who thinks and reasons deeply, will be acceptable to those who do neither. So that there is nothing in the peculiar characteristics of poetry to take it out of the general rule. To the favorite argument of their opponents, that the difference of poetry from all other studies consists in its having for its immediate and ultimate end, the production of pleasure, and therefore that the kind of poetry which produces the most pleasure is necessarily the best,—to all this it can be answered that this reasoning, if pushed to the extent which is necessary in order to support the opinion in question, must lead to one of two absurd conclusions: either it supposes that poetry, because its design is to produce pleasure, has the power of reversing the laws of human nature, and of compelling individuals differing in the constitutions of their minds to take delight in the same pleasure, though it be framed for the very attribute in which they differ in their intellects, or else admitting the imposibility of gratifying both at once, it supposes that the quality of an intellectual pleasure is to be determined by something else than the quality of the intellects that are effected by it. According to this hypothesis Milton has not the slightest pretension to the name of a popular poet.

If we bear in mind the well authenticated traditions we have respecting the early reception by the public of "Paradise Lost" there is sufficient evidence to convince any one open to conviction, that the high esteem in which it is held, even in the present day, by all classes, is almost solely due to that deference which inferior minds pay to those who think. By the majority it is less read, and less relished than almost any other English poem. A similar instance we have in the Poet Shelley, who combined every essential requisite of the poetical character, with nearly every accidental gift that can grace and adorn it, who was more vigorous in his imagination, more harmonious in the structure of his verse, and more impregnated with a real genuine classical feeling than any poet since Milton, yet is comparatively unknown to the majority of readers, and is but slightly esteemed by a large portion even of those who have read his works; and the reason is that he has not labored to produce in the mind those alternate states of delirious excitement, and miserable depression which are as inconsistent with the spirit of poetry as they are unfriendly to human happiness.

These arguments and this evidence will go far we think to prove, that first rate poetical excellence will not always or even frequently meet with popular admiration.

Fancy and imagination, the two great prevailing characteristics of all true poetry, were possessed by Milton in an eminent degree, and the care with which he has assigned a separate employment to each of these faculties is truly wonderful. In the first two books of "Paradise Lost," where he is dealing with the strange and unearthly, nothing [illegible] which can give materiality to our [illegible] of them. He does not indeed invest [illegible] with horns and hoofs, as some may [illegible] he should have done, for this would have been to destroy the reverence with which he wished to inspire us for his hero. But he causes these beings to produce a palace, built like a temple with Doric pillars, and he introduces into the debate of the fallen spirits, every kind of human interest, and in the passage through the middle world, he brings in the frightful forms of sin and death, which if they had been merely allegorical, would have been contemptible, but which, considered as real, they gave a terrible definiteness to what would otherwise have appeared vague and unimpressive.

True there are those who would contend that Shakspeare would have committed less violence upon the understandings of his readers if he had represented the night revels of Oberon and Titania and Puck as occurring in the enchanted island of Prospero, than by making the scene of them in a common wood, where wild thyme, and oxslips and violets grew, and which was trodden in the day time by the feet of Bottom the Weaver, but such an opinion is founded upon a very superficial view of human thought, and overlooks entirely the difficulty which the reader feels in surmounting the first effort of belief that is required of him. We yield a ready faith, and a lively interest to a poet who shows us as through a magical glass the very spots which we may have seen a thousand times, shining with unwonted radiance, and displaying beauties which seemed always to have existed there, only that our "muddy vesture" prevented us from seeing them.

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"They were but what they seemed, and yet I felt
They must be more, the mind has no horizon,
It looks beyond the eye, and seeks for mind
In all it sees, or all it sees o'erruling."

W. M.

Woman's protective union—Marriage.

WEYMOUTH WEEKLY GAZETTE.

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WEYMOUTH TOWN MEETING.

Monday last was the day appointed for the annual meeting of the citizens of Weymouth, to act upon measures of public interest, and provide means for the necessary wants of local government. The meeting was of such general interest as to call out a large proportion of the tax-payers, and the numerous articles of the warrant were disposed of as rapidly as possible, by the tact of the moderator, Gen. J. L. Bates. The question of a Superintendent of Schools, which has in previous years consumed an undue proportion of the day, was left out in the cold by a vote not to instruct the School Committee to appoint such an officer, and the evident conviction of the necessity for larger disbursements for schools and highways, prevented the display of an inordinate amount of oratorical eloquence on those points of debate. The town has acted wisely and judiciously in this increase of appropriation, and if the money is judiciously expended, the public will not regret the action of Monday. The most interesting feature of the annual meeting, is, of course, the election of town officers, for which there were four tickets presented for the consideration of voters. A caucus notice headed "Citizens' Caucus" was issued for Friday evening of last week, having been thought the most judicious heading for the call, which emanated from leading citizens of the town. The Crispin organization, however controlled the caucus, and nominated a ticket which the majority of voters by their action of Monday, decided was not what they wanted. Consultations were held Saturday and additional tickets prepared, with the names of former public servants on the lists, and the result proved that the town endorsed the labors of those gentlemen in the past by giving them a good majority of votes. On the whole, the action of the meeting appears to give general satisfaction, and with a good board of officers and a liberal appropriation of funds, the interests of the town will be satisfactorily carried forwaad in the year to come.

The balloting was continued till 12 o'clock, when it was suspended for an hour, and articles three and four of the Warrant were disposed of by the acceptance of the reports of the several officers and committees.

The following Jurors were drawn for the April term of the Superior Court:—Grand Jury, George O. Paine, Benj. F. Whitman. Traverse Jurors, Leonard B. Tirrell, Josiah H. Pratt.

Article 4, to raise and appropriate monies, was the theme of an interesting debate. Abner Holbrook alluded to the need of an increased appropriation for school purposes, and moved that $18,000 be raised. Remarks in favor of the motion were made by C. C. Tirrell and others, and Dr. Tower gave an exhibit of the amounts necessary for schools this year which footed up $18,520, two more schools being needed. He urged also the increase of salaries of female teachers $2 more per week. An allusion by one of the speakers to an increase of salary of High School teachers as a means of retaining the services of competent teachers was debated by James Humphrey, who said that paying high salaries would not always retain good teachers, who would be still looking for higher positions. He favored the estimates of Dr. Tower, but would have the town make its appropriations within the range of 1 1-2 per cent taxation. High taxes would drive away capital, and we cannot compete with towns whose valuation is four times as large, in the matter of paying high salaries.

Eben Tirrell thought the argument of Mr. Humphrey fallacious. Every one knows when he votes to raise an appropriation that he votes to raise his tax. The question is, our schools are not what they should be, and if we want them improved, we understand that our taxes will be raised.

Noah Vining said that at a rate of 1 1-2 per cent we could raise $70,000. The Committee's estimate would not make a higher rate than this, which would be found an average rate throughout the State. In answer to inquiry whether the valuation of Weymouth could not be enhanced $100,000, Mr. Vining said if we could get at the coffers of wealthy men it might be increased a million dollars, but we could not do it

After continued discussion a motion was made to raise $20,000 for schools, and it was carried, and the appropriations were made as follows:—

Schools,	$20,000
Highways and Bridges,	8,000
Widening and working new Roads	1,000
Support of Poor,	4,500
Town Officers,	4,000
Miscellaneous,	2,000
Discount,	2,500
Remittances,	1,500
Interest,	5,000
Town Debt,	5,000
Repairs of School Houses,	1,500
New School Houses,	2,500
	63,500

$8000 was raised for State Aid, the amount of payments under this head being refunded by the State.

The matter of repairs of roads was left to the discretion of the Surveyors.

A new school-house was ordered to be built at East Weymouth.

The purchase of the school-house in the 6th District, belonging to the Pratt estate, was placed in charge of the Selectmen, they being directed to purchase the same, at a price obtained by appraisal by the same appraisers that performed the duty last year.

The reports on town ways enumerated in the Warrant, were accepted and adopted.

The question of instructing the School Committee to appoint a Superintendent of Schools was brought up by Mr. Blanchard, who moved that the Committee be so instructed. A question of order was here raised, and the Moderator deciding that the motion was in order, he was sustained by the house, and the question being taken on instructing the Committee an almost unanimous *no* was the result.

The subject of raising money for maintaining a Fire Department in South Weymouth was explained by Mr. Vining, who stated that the residents there wanted a Fire District located in the centre of the village, and to form a District the law requires that they should first bring the matter of protection before the town, and it was only necessary for the town to vote *not* to make an appropriation for the purpose, which hint the town very willingly complied with by voting no.

The town was divided into Wards for the convenience of assessing taxes.

The town voted not to insure School-houses.

The Selectmen were instructed to draw orders for money expended last year on repairs of school-houses in excess of appropriation.

The land on which the Soldiers Monument stands having been conveyed to the town, on motion it was ordered that the Selectmen appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to keep the grounds in order.

The Selectmen were instructed to defend the suit brought against the town for non-appointment of a liquor agent, and also to settle the case according to their best judgement.

The appointment of a liquor agent was referred to the Selectmen.

The matter of injury to Mr. Newman's boy was referred to Selectmen, also the appeal of Nathl. Ford for compensation for damages by Neck road.

The time for holding Annual meetings was not changed.

The several school-houses in town were named as follows:—

1st District, Athens School; 2d, Adams; 3d, High St., Pleasant St., and Grant St.; 4th, Perkins and Broad St.; 5th Main St.; 6th, Pratt and Washington St.; 7th Central St., Union St., Pond St. Randolph St.; 8th, Mount Pleasant; 10th, Middle St.

The Selectmen were instructed to resist the petition of the Shore towns to be relieved from their proportion of charge on the bridges over Fore and Back rivers.

Police regulations were referred to the Selectmen.

The Treasurer was authorized to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

The Committee to sort and count the ballots for town officers reported as follows:—

Town Clerk—Darius Smith, 483, Charles W. Hastings, 227, F. Ambler 11.

Treasurer—Elias Richards 721, A. S. White 2.

Selectmen and Overseers of Poor—John Blanchard 516, E. A. Hunt 491, James Humphrey 451, Z. L. Bicknell 336, Wilmot Cleverly 322, Wm. Humphrey 289, Q. L. Reed 502, Abner Holbrook 200, Samuel French 2d, 199, J. H. Whelan, 196, Nathan Canterbury, 188, F. E. Loud 188, N. Vining 27, W. W. Raymond 10, Wm. Cushing 2, Elisha Pratt 2. First five on list were declared elected.

Assessors—Jas. Humphrey 689, W. W. Raymond 545, Noah Vining 504, N. Canterbury 182, Q. L. Reed 189. First three declared elected.

Highway Surveyors—Jacob French 551, Thos J. Nash 521, Joseph Hawes 487, J. R. D. Williams 483, Elisha Pratt 399. Cornelius Robbins 318, S. W Gutterson 228, Saml. French 2d, 236, Augustus Pratt 196, Ezra Reed 207, First five elected, and Mr. Williams declining to serve, S. W. Gutterson was chosen in his place.

Constables—Wilmot Cleverly 660, Geo. W. White, Jr., 689, Wm. Stoddard 713, Edward Cushing 523, Isaac N. Tirrell 508, Christopher T. Bailey, 459, B. H. Everett 512, Wm. McCormick 337, Horace Makepeace 221, Michael Noonan 209, all elected.

School Committee—For three years, Abner Holbrook 403, G. W. Fay 454; for two years, Chas. Q. Tirrell, 513.

The Auditing Committee chosen is same as last year:—John W. Loud, Oran White, Henry Loud.

The Committee appointed to nominate officers not chosen by ballot reported the following list:—Surveyors of Wood, Lumber and Bark—Wm Bicknell, John White, L. W. Bicknell, S. Blanchard, J. E. Rice, C. Washburn, C. Simmons, E. K. Chipman, Erastus Nash, A. P. Nash Wm. Nash, Ephraim Bradford, D. S. Murray, Wm. Dyer, Jason Pratt, Allen Vining, Q. L Reed, N. B. Thayer, Ezra Reed, Joseph Dyer, T. B. Porter, W. P. Sanborn, Warren Thayer, J. Binney, Edw. Pratt, W. H. Blanchard, P. H. Blanchard, Thos. H. Humphrey, B. F. Shaw, A. J. Richards, Reuben Loud.

Fire Wards—L. W. Bicknell, H. Newton, W. T. Shaw, Z. L. Bicknell, C. Washburn, J. Peakes, W. H. Sargent. L. Tirrell, A. A. Holbrook, L. L. Barker, J. L. Bates, O. Cushing, W. Thayer, H. Rockwood.

Sealer of Weights and Measures—A. J. Garey.

Weigher of Vessels—L. Bicknell.

Pound Keeper—Francis Tirrell.

Field Drivers—A. G. Litchfield, W. Cleverly, W. White, J. Vinal, J. Copeland, J. R. Lovell, Jas. Lovell, George Richards, P. S. Thayer, Henry Hunt, Thos. Mellen, E. R. Shaw, Jason Gardner, R. C. Weston, Chas. Hawes, B. Chandler. N. W. Torrey, W. Thayer, John Shores, T. Pray, W. B. Richmond, J. R. H. Williams, Edwin Pratt.

Fence Viewers—S. W. Bicknell, Bela French, Wm. Dyer, Jos. Dyer.

Truant Officers—A. J. Garey, C. T. Bailey, W. Cleverly, Josiah Reed.

The record of the past year is fully given in the reports of the various officers and for the information of friends abroad we present an abstract of the same.

The receipts from all sources were $124,435.64, as follows:—

Balance on hand March 1, 1869, $6,224.31; received of Union National Bank of Weymouth, 18,000.00; of First National Bank of Weymouth, 6,000.00; cash from District No 1, 58.96; No. 3, 7.33; No. 4, 29.98; No. 5, 9.35; No. 7, 131.35; No. 10, 61.88; No. 11, 11.17; Town, State and County taxes, and including the debts owed by School Districts and assumed by the town, 79,389.64; Non-resident Bank tax, 148.29; of James Torrey, 2,100.00; of Town of Middleborough, 32.67; East Bridgewater, 52.00; Plymouth, 49.00; Abington, 144.86; from School Fund, 408.82; for Dog licenses, 607.00; from Hingham Ins. Co. dividend, 18.70; of Treasurer of Hingham and Quincy bridges, 1,000.00; on contract for the Nadeil property, 50.00; of Harrison O. Carroll, for support of his wife in hospital, 24.50; for use of Town House, 124.50; for estate of David Tirrell, 17.00; of the State Treasurer, Corporation taxes, 2,486.33; State aid for James E. Ford, 48.00; State aid refunded for 1868, 6,900.00.

The expenditures amount to $111,-009.76, as follows:—

On account of Schools, $15,179.47; of Roads, 12,145 22; of Town House, 317.28; New School-house in 4th District, 7,240.85; in 5th District, 3,726.34; in 6th District, 2,738.38; Repairs of School-houses, 4,013.87; Town Officers, 4,590.35; Miscellaneous, 1,499.55; Aid to Soldiers and Families, 7,913.50; Town Poor, 4,552.57; Notes paid, 27,759.32; Interest, 4,261.86; State Tax 7,990.00; County Tax, 3,341.79; District debts paid, 938.52; Discount and Remittances, 2,746.55; State Treasurer, tax on non-resident's bank shares 143.84.

The town debt is $78,874.30.

The appraisal of school property, under the change from the District system, was $65.901.54. The district debt assumed by the town is $16,812.18.

The number of paupers in the almshouse during the year was 20.

Number of marriages, 86, the number of both parties residents of Weymouth being 41. Number of births, 266, number of deaths, 176, of which 123 were natives of Weymouth, 12 of foreign birth, the remainder natives of Massachusetts and the other New England States.

Three new school-houses have been erected during the year, and additional accommodation is needed, for which appropriation was made at last Monday's meeting.

SOUTH WEYMOUTH.

At a meeting of the Directors of the First National Bank of South Weymouth, held March 22, 1870, the following resolutions were adopted:—

Whereas by the death of Theron V. Shaw since the last meeting of this board, the bank has been deprived of the valued and efficient services of one who by his experience, sound judgement, and correct business habits, was so well fitted to direct in the management of its affairs; therefore Resolved, that we the surviving directors of the bank who have been so long associated with him, desire to bear testimony to the efficiency and fidelity with which he performed the duties of his office, and to the honorable and upright dealing, and uniformly courteous and gentlemanly deportment which marked his intercourse with his fellow men. And it is with sadness and sorrow of heart that we bow to that dispensation of Divine Providence which has so suddenly severed this relationship to our associate and friend, and closed up his career of usefulness on earth.

Resolved, that while we mourn his loss for ourselves, we do not forget the nearer and dearer ties that bound him so strongly to the bosom of his family and we tender to the bereaved and afflicted wife and children, our most heartfelt sympathy, in this hour of their greatest sorrow; and trust that they with us may rightly improve this admonition of our Heavenly Father to be always ready for the summons that shall call us to our everlasting home.

Resolved that a copy of those resolutions be forwarded to the family of the deceased and also to the Weymouth Gazette for publication.

B. F. WHITE, Cashier.

CRYSTAL WEDDING.—The fifteenth anniversary of the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Binney, of Weymouth, was celebrated on Friday evening of last week by a large gathering of friends at their residence, who were entertained in a most hospitable manner, and who brought with them a handsome variety of crystal tokens of friendship and esteem. The occasion was a most enjoyable one, and the exercises pertinent to the occasion. Our poet laureate contributed a couple of his impromptu poems for the entertainment of the company, which were sung by the whole company. The poems were as follows:

TUNE—*Ho, ho, Vacation Days are here.*

What was't you did some years ago?
Fa la! fa la! fa la!
When your young blood was at its flow,
Ha ha! ha ha! ha ha!
Some fifteen years you call it so,
What was't you did? come, let us know;
What was't you did some years ago?
Ha ha! ha ha! ha ha!

Ah! you got married, did you, then?
Fa la! fa la! fa la!
It is the way with girls and men,
Ha ha! ha ha! ha ha!
It is and it has ever been,
But let us know the why and when—
Ah! you got married, did you, then?
Ha ha! ha ha! ha ha!

You loved each other! very true;
Fa la! fa la! fa la!
And felt as if you wanted to,
Ha ha! ha ha! ha ha!
Do just as many others do,
Be made but one instead of two;
You loved each other! very true;
Ha ha! ha ha! ha!

As Hymen's laws must be obeyed,
Fa la! fa la! fa la!
You called the priest, and with his aid,
Ha ha! ha ha! ha ha!
While list'ning friends attention paid,
Your vows of love and union made,
As Hymen's laws must be obeyed;
Ha ha! ha ha! ha ha!

Long time has pass'd, and here you are;
Fa la! fa la! fa la!
Of pleasant days you've had your share:
Ha ha! ha ha! ha!
We see you've doubled what you were,
And still but little worse for wear.
Long time has pass'd, and here you are;
Ha ha! ha ha! ha ha!

And now we know the why and when,
Fa la! fa la! fa la!
You married! and if young again,
Ha ha! ha ha! ha ha!
The chance is more than nine in ten,
You would do just as you did then;
And now we know the why and when;
Ha ha! ha ha! ha ha!

There's nothing like a bosom friend,
Fa la! fa la! fa la!
So girls and bachelors attend,
Ha ha! ha ha! ha ha!
And if you would your fortunes mend,
To wedlock your attention bend;
There's nothing like a bosom friend;
Ha ha! ha ha! ha ha!

It is the never failing pill,
Fa la! fa la! fa la!
That ne'er was known to harm or kill;
Ha ha! ha ha! ha ha!
A certain cure for every ill,
Except the nurse and doctor's bill;
It is a never failing pill;
Ha ha! ha ha! ha ha!

TUNE—*Auld Lang Syne.*

The wings of time move swiftly by,
And as we older grow,
They seem with gath'ring strength to fly—
With lightning speed to go.
But every hour they leave behind
A record of the past—
A lesson, saying to mankind,
Be ready for the last.

Three times five years the flying earth
Has journeyed round the sun,
Since we installed at home and hearth,
By mystic tie were one;
And time records a treasure giv'n,
But soon recall'd again—
A little flow'r transferr'd to Heaven,
There ever to remain.

Two more responsibilities
Were giv'n to our care,
For whom we beg the Only Wise
To teach us how to rear.
And thankful for His bounties sent
Through all these vanished days,
For comforts giv'n and blessings lent,
We lift the song of praise.

The married life's a happy life,
And many find it so;
It rests with husband and with wife,
To make a Heav'n below;
With cheerful hearts and willing hands
With kindness and with care,
As on a rock their dwelling stands,
For peace and love are there.

Abroad, where tumult rules the day,
Where bustling cares surround,
How happy those who then can say,
At home is quiet found.
The home and hearth, our own, our own,
Our shelter and retreat,
Where living love has built a throne,
And taste and prudence meet;—

Where welcome friends and kindred join
To make that home more dear,
And songs of mirth and hymns divine
Delight the list'ning ear.
New England, on thy rugged soil
Such blessings still attend;
For such thy sons and daughters toil
And with brave hearts defend.

Weymouth, March 13, 1870.

The articles presented were a marble top table, Mr. and Mrs. W. Field; gilt china set, Mr. and Mrs. W. Field; pitcher and tumblers, Mr. and Mrs. Dana Smith; china cake basket, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Field: fruit dish and boquet holder, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Dizer; berry dish, Mr. and Mrs. G. Cole; glass set, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Dodge; pair glass dishes Mr. and Mrs. W. Merritt; pair of cut glass vases, and handsome boquet, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Gutterson; pair of vases, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Easterbrook; do. do., Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Bagley; do. do., with flowers, Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Hobart; do. do. Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Williams; chromo lithograph, from Messrs Burrell, Orr, Bates, Davis, Thayer, and Phillips; card receiver, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Baker; cut glass goblets, Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Peabody; dish and pitcher, Mr. and Mrs. C. Spear; silver spoon, "to Nettie," Mrs. S. Binney; picture, Mr. and Mrs. F. Ambler; glass cane, Mr. and Mrs. G. Davis; celery glass, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Hobart; spoon holder, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Gutterson; hand glass, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bond; bottle of cologne and holder, Miss E. Nash; vase of flowers in glass case, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Hobart; decanter, Mr. and Mrs. J. Crane; watch case, and cologne bottle, J. R. H. Williams; glass dish, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hobart; pair goblets, Mrs. R. B. Nash; bead hanging basket, with flowers, Mr. and Mrs. J. Gove; cut glass vase, "to Nettie," Mrs. F. E. Binney.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY, though the travelling was peculiarly uncomfortable, was celebrated with the usual ceremonies of a procession, &c., in the city. One of the celebrators, from East Weymouth, visited the city, and indulging too freely in "mountain dew," became quite noisy on his return via South Shore Railroad, and having no money to pay his fare, a friend said he would be responsible for it. This arrangement did not seem to suit the other, and continuing to be noisy officer Bailey, who was on duty on the train by solicitation of the Conductor, requested him to be quiet, when he attacked the latter, who was finally compelled to administer a dose of hickory before he could be quieted. On arriving at the Weymouth depot, he was taken out of the cars on a charge of disturbing the peace, and in going to the lock-up he again assaulted the officer, who at length reduced him to subjection with a pair of handcuffs. He was brought before Justice Bumpus next morning, and fined $10 and costs, which he paid, and departed with the expression from his own lips that "it was good enough for him." His employer states that the man is an orderly, well disposed citizen when sober, and the unfortunate occurrence must be charged solely to the influence of the destructive bowl which "drowns men's souls in perdition."

SCHOOL MATTERS.—The School Board of Weymouth propose to put male teachers in five of the Grammar Schools in town. Most of the schools will commence Monday, 28th inst. The High Schools will commence on Monday, April 4th. Examination of candidates, for High schools at North Weymouth Wednesday 30th, 9, A. M.—at South Weymouth, Thursday, 31st, 9, A. M. There has been no change made in High School Teachers.

QUINCY.—The daily papers of Boston and New York have published versions of the reports relative to the decease of Dr. and Mrs. Woodward, which implicate a young physician of Quincy, one of the beneficiaries of Mrs. W's will, in a charge of foul play. The opinions of Drs. Morrison and Stetson are that Mrs. W. died of paralysis, and many of the citizens unhesitatingly declare the rumors and suspicious to be base fabrications, and the physician has published a card in the Patriot, emphatically denying the statements, and declaring them to be purposely circulated, and calling for an investigation of the facts. The apothecary in Q., Mr. Veazie, publishes a card referring to a prescription ordered by Dr. Ogden, for Miss Erskine, a young lady employed in the family of Mrs. Woodward, which was as follows: "Wine of ipecac, 2 drachms; Syrup Squills, 1-2 ounce; Solution of opium, 1 oz.; Syrup Tolu, 2 drachms, mix. "He says, there is not a respectable apothecary in Boston that would put up the prescription to be used as directed, for a cough, (a teaspoonful every five hours) or pronounce the mixture harmless.

ARREST OF A ROGUE.—On Friday last a young man, named Frank Curtis, hired of A. S. Porter, in East Randolph, a horse and buggy to go to Milton, but instead of going to that town he took a female companion and drove to Waltham, where he changed horses with Mr. Horace Cate, and drove back to Randolph proper, where he left his team and started on foot for East Randolph yesterday morning. He passed Sunday night at the hotel in Randolph, where he registered his name as Fisher, and left without paying his bill. On his way to East Randolph he was met by Deputy Sheriff Warren, who arrested and took him before a trial justice, who held him in $1000 for trial on the charge of stealing the team from Mr. Porter. Officer Adams of this city holds a warrant against Curtis for obtaining goods by false pretences from different firms in this city, and has lodged his warrant with the jailer at Dedham, in whose custody Curtis is for want of bail. He will eventually be brought to this city for trial. [Advertiser.

THE UNION ENGINE.—Mr Editor:—In your paper of last week the statement was made that the reason the Union Engine was froze up at the time of the fire at East Braintree, was because of water being left in the engine, and no fire having been kept in the house since the fire at East Weymouth, which statement was not correct. The water was all let out of the engine as soon as she arrived home from the East Weymouth fire. The works were not froze up at the fire last week, as some have supposed; the ice was in the suction hose, which froze before the engine returned from E. Weymouth, and after the firemen ceased playing at the fire. A fire had been kept in the house ever since, until Monday, when the fuel was exhausted, a want of which the officers were notified some time ago. We hope the author of these reports will not be so hasty in his statements in future.

Steward Union Engine Co. No. 1.

NOTE.—From the above explanation and from what we learn of the Chief Engineer, it appears that the condition of the suction hose was owing to no neglect of the steward or any one connected with the company. The tub was emptied, and the presence of ice in the suction would not readily be detected when it was put in its usual position. The company attach no blame to the steward, and the public will see that it was one of those unforseen contingencies for which the firemen were not prepared.

BRAINTREE.

PAINFUL ACCIDENT.—Mr. Erastus Newton, son of Mr. Minot Newton, of East Braintree, was dangerously injured on Saturday afternoon of last week at the Boston Flax Works in East Braintree, of which he has been Superintendent for some time. While engaged in the placing of a portion of the shafting which is being carried from the old building into a recently erected addition, his garments became entangled in the main shafting, which whirled him around it some two hundred revolutions before he could be extricated, and inflicted fearful injuries upon his person. He sustained a compound fracture of the left arm, three ribs fractured on the left side, both feet were bruised badly and one or two toes of the right foot broken, and the knee joint injured, the right arm also being badly bruised. Dr. Warren was sent for and arrived at the Mills fifteen minutes after the occurence. The sufferer was removed to his residence, where an amputation of the left arm was performed by Dr. W., assisted by Dr. Fay, of East Weymouth. The case though a very critical one, appears hopeful at the present time, for his recovery.

A large company of young and old were gathered Wednesday at the residence of Mr. I. M. Foye to congratulate him on his 29th birthday.

In the afternoon the ladies assembled to quilt a counterpane which Mr F. had himself made in leisure hours at home. They pronounced his work good and some of them (knowing Mr. F. to be one of twins and a few months married) hinted that it might answer to cover a cradle large enough for twins.

The company was very agreeably entertained and refreshments generously served. Remarks by Rev. Mr. Aiken, E. I. Humphrey Esq., and Dr. Dearing, interspersed with sacred and secular songs occupied a share of the evening. Dr. D., whose boyhood days were spent in the same town with Mr. F., indulged in reminiscences of the past and concluded by presenting Mr. F., on behalf of his Braintree vocal music class as a testimonial of respect and esteem, the beautiful collection of songs, "Wreath of Gems. Prof. Foye returned his thanks &c., and sung in his usual good style a beautiful song, accompanied by Master Reynolds, a very fine young alto.

The Ladies Aid Society is invited to meet with Miss Mary Dorety Monday eve, 28th, and it is expected the exercises will be extremely interesting, especially the parts taken by "Messrs P. and H."

We notice the lumber for Rev. Dr. Storrs' church-spire is moving towards its destined place and if it should assume the style indicated by the present plan we think the church will present a handsomer front than ever before, and together with the proposed frescoing and painting will make it one of the handsomest church buildings in the state.

SUNDAY SCHOOL ANNIVERSARY.—The 17th anniversary of the Baptist Sabbath School of Weymouth took place last Sunday, in the church. The exercises included singing by the children, addresses by Rev. Mr. Stewart, Chaplain U. S. N., Mr. Fernald, of Braintree, and others. A large audience were present.

SABBATH SCHOOL ASSOCIATION.—The Union Church was crowded last Sabbath evening, at the meeting of the Weymouth Sabbath School Union. The address by Gilbert Nash, Esq., was of a high order, and was received with commendation.

MEDICAL.—In the list of members of the Junior Class of the Medical Department of Georgetown College, District of Columbia, appears the name of Turner Torrey, of Weymouth.

A MODEL SCHOLAR.—Lizzie Williamson of Marshfield, has attended school for four years in succession without being absent or tardy.

SUDDEN DEATH.—Mr. Theron V. Shaw of South Weymouth, fell dead in Quincy Market, Boston, on Thursday of last week, the cause of death being heart disease. He was 61 years of age, and was apparently in good health at the time of the attack.

THE Empire Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York, has achieved a success without a parallel in the history of Life Insurance. Over 3000 policies have been issued since its organization one year ago. The largest commencement business ever done by any Mutual Life Insurance Company in the world. The substantial advantages, the liberal features and the unparalelled success of this company, are attracting the attention of agents, and of all desiring Insurance. B. F. PRATT, General Agent, 32 *Washington St.* Boston.

The pews of the first Baptist Church in *Weymouth*, and also the sheds will be let at auction on *Wednesday* evening, March 30th, at 7 1-2 o'clock.

Per order committee.

C. C. WILBAR, Chairman.

COURT RECORD.—Before Justice Bumpus, on Tuesday last, *William Clegg* of *South Weymouth*, was fined $10 and costs, and sentenced to twenty days imprisonment in House of Correction for illegal keeping of liquor with intent to sell. He appealed and gave bonds for his appearance.

Thomas H. Hayes, of Quincy, convicted of keeping liquor with intent to sell, fined $10 and costs.

M. E. APPOINTMENTS.—Rev. *W.* V. Morrison has received his appointment (from the Providence Conference,) at *Strafford Springs* Conn.

Rev. *F. G. Wagner*, of Fall River, is to be stationed at East Weymouth.

Rev. S. H. Hayes will deliver a lecture on Temperance at Lincoln Hall Weymouth on Monday evening next, at 7 1-2 o'clock. The public are cordially invited, and clergymen will please give notice from their pulpits on Sunday.

The following resolutions were passed at a recent meeting of Lodge 102 North Weymouth.

Whereas Our Heavenly Father in his Infinite Wisdom has again broken the ties of our fraternal brotherhood by the removal from the scenes of his earthly labors of our esteemed brother, Charles E. Briggs, therefore, Resolved that by this sudden and solemn event we are renewedly reminded of the frailty of our earthly existance and admonished to work more earnestly for the elevation of ourselves and our fellow men.

Resolved, that we deeply sympathize with the afflicted widow and relatives of our departed brother, and commend to the care of him who has promised to be the widow's God and a father to the fatherless, who is too wise to err, and too good to be unkind.

ABINGTON.—At the annual town meeting Monday, the following officers were chosen:—Moderator—William P. Corthell; Clerk—N. T. Hunt; Treasurer—George A. Beal; School Committee—James H. Gleason; Selectmen Marcus Reed, Henry A. Noyes, Charles W. Soule. The appropriations for the year are Schooling and school incidentals, $16,000; highways and bridges, $7000; town officers and incidentals, $4700; poor, $5000; abatement of taxes, $1000; debt falling due, $10,500; interest, $3000. There was an article in the warrant upon the subject of appointing a superintendent of the schools. The vote against such appointment was a decided one. From the report of the assessors it appears that the valuation of real estate is $2,657,375; personal estate, $1,192,929; total, $3,850,504; and that the number of polls is 2451. The selectmen's estimate of expenses for the year 1870, is $45,200. The number of marriages the last year is 81. Number of births, 232; males 123, females 109. The number of deaths is 152; males 77, females 75.

Ditson & Co., Boston, have issued the following gems of vocal and instrumental music:—A Little after Eight, music by *Wellman*; Valse et le Galop, four hands; Little Hunting *Song*, for piano; I Love Thee, duett, by *Schwarz*; In Tears I Pine for Thee, from I Lombardi; Io vivo e Tamo, duet by Campana; *Shabby* Genteel by Harry Clifton; *Silvery* Bells, sung by the Zavistowski Sisters; Immenseikoff, comic song by Arthur Lloyd.

Life has few Charms for the Dyspeptic, which is not to be wondered at when we take into the account the amount of bodily and mental suffering that this distressing malady generates. The Peruvian Syrup (a protoxide of iron) has cured thousands who were suffering from this disease.

More than forty years have elapsed since *Johnson's Anodyne Liniment* was first invented, during which time hundreds of thousands have been benefited by its use. Probably no article ever became so universally popular with all classes as *Johnsons Anodyne Liniment.*

Pills which contain antimony, quinine, and calomel, should be avoided, as severe griping pains would be their only result. The safest, surest, and best pills are *Parsons Purgative or Anti-Bilious Pills.*

Marriages and Deaths.

MARRIED,

In Bridgeport, Ct., by Rev. Olympia Brown, pastor of 1st Universalist Church, Mr. George O. Stewart to Miss Minnie M. Belknap, all of B.

DIED,

In Weymouth, March 20th, James W., son of Thomas Ash, aged 10 mos. 11 days.

In South Weymouth, March 17, Lucy A. T., daughter of the late Alvin and Lucy Reed, aged 18 years 6 mos. 17 days.

In North Weymouth, March 13, of consumption, Helen Woodside, aged 39 yrs 10 mos. 6 ds.

In Braintree, March 9, Ruthy, widow of the late Dea. Richard Belcher, of Randolph, aged 83 yrs. 5 mos. 3 days.

Business Notices.

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Requires immediate attention, as neglect often results in an incurable Lung Disease.

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For *Bronchitis, Asthma, Catarrh, Consumptive and Throat Diseases*, they have a soothing effect.

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Owing to the good reputation and popularity of the Troches, many *worthless and cheap imitations are offered, which are good for nothing.*—Be sure to OBTAIN the *true*

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Hoofland's German Bitters per Bottle,	$1 00
Do do do half dozen,	5 00
Do do Tonic, put up in qt. bottles,	1 50
per bottle, or a half dozen for	7 50

☞ Do not forget to examine well the article you buy in order to get the genuine.

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Scientifically Developed.

As mankind, from indiscretion or other causes, has been doomed to suffer from disease, so also has a remedy for diseases been provided. Our hills and valleys abound with roots and herbs, which if scientifically prepared and compounded, will restore health and vigor to the invalid. To find such a remedy we should seek one that has stood the test of age.

Hoofland's German Bitters

was placed before the public thirty years ago, with all the prejudice of so called "patent medicine" operating against it; but gradually its virtues became known, and now, to-day, it stands at the head of all preparations of its class, with the indorsement of eminent judges, lawyers, clergymen and physicians.

Read the following symptoms, and if you find that your system is affected by any of them, you may rest assured that disease has commenced its attack on the most important organs of your body and unless soon checked by the use of powerful remedies, a miserable life soon terminating in death will be the result:

Constipation, Flatulence, Inward Piles, Fullness of blood to the Head, Acidity of the Stomach, Nausea, Heartburn, Disgust for food, Fullness of weight in the Stomach, Sour Eructations, Sinking or Fluttering at the pit of the Stomach, Swimming of the head, Hurried or Difficult Breathing, Fluttering at the Heart, Choking or Suffocation Sensations when in a Lying Posture, Dimness of Vision, Dots or Webs before the Sight, Dull Pain in the Head, Deficiency of P[illegible]n, Yellowness of the Skin and Eyes, Pain in the Side, Back, Chest, Limbs, etc., Sudden Flushes of Heat, Burning in the Flesh, Constant Imaginings of Evil and Great Depression of Spirits. All these indicate diseases of the Liver or Digestive organs combined with impure blood.

HOOFLAND'S

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Is entirely vegetable, and contains no liquor. It is a compound of Fluid Extracts. The Roots, Herbs and Barks from which these extracts are made are gathered in Germany; all the medicinal virtues are extracted from them by a scientific chemist. These extracts are then forwarded to this country to be used expressly for the manufacture of this Bitters. There is no alcoholic substance of any kind used in compounding the Bitters, hence it is free from all the objections incident to the use of a liquor preparation.

Hoofland's German Tonic

Is a combination of all the ingredients of the Bitters, with pure Santa Cruz Rum, Orange, etc. It is used for the same diseases as the Bitters, in cases where some pure Alcoholic Stimulant is required.

TESTIMONY

Like the following was never before offered in behalf of any medicinal preparation.

HON. GEO. W. WOODWARD,
Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania, writes:

PHILADELPHIA, March 16, 1869.

I find "Hoofland's German Bitters" is a good tonic, useful in diseases of the digestive organs, and of great benefit in cases of debility, and want of nervous action in the system. Yours truly,

GEO. W. WOODWARD.

HON. JAMES THOMPSON,
Judge of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania.

PHILADELPHIA, April 28, 1866

I consider Hoofland's German Bitters a valuable medicine in case of attacks of Indigestion or Dyspepsia. I can certify this from my experience of it. Yours, with respect,

JAMES THOMPSON.

HON. GEO. SHARSWOOD,
Justice of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania.

PHILADELPHIA, June 1, 1868.

I have found by experience that Hoofland's German Bitters is a very good tonic, relieving dyspeptic symptoms almost immediately.

GEO. SHARSWOOD.

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A sorrowful sight it is to see
Young men when in their prime,
At blooming twenty-one and free,
Wasting their golden time.
Sad! sad the thought, but such is life,
Let us help them if we can,
In disposition let us show humanity to man.

A gladsome sight it is to see
Young men go neatly clad,
Who are fond of honest industry,
Whose hearts are never sad.
When'ere a suit of clothes they need,
They should to RICHARDS' go
At twenty-five Dock Square they'll find
He's selling clothing low.

Consumption.

The Three Remedies, "SCHENCK'S PULMONIC SYRUP," for the cure of Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis and every form of Consumption. The peculiar action of this medicine ripens the ulcers in the lungs, promotes the discharge of the corrupt matter by expectoration, purifies the blood, and thus cures Consumption, when every other remedy fails.

"SCHENCK'S SEA-WEED TONIC," for the cure of Dyspepsia or Indigestion, and all diseases arising from debility. This tonic invigorates the digestive organs, supplies the place of the gastric juice when that is deficient, and then enables the patient to digest the most nutritious food. It is a sovereign remedy for all cases of indigestion.

"SCHENCK'S MANDRAKE PILLS," one of the most valuable medicines ever discovered, being a vegetable substitute for calomel, and having all the useful properties ascribed to that mineral, without producing any of its injurious effects.

To these three medicines Dr. J. H. Schenck, of Philadelphia, owes his unrivalled success in the treatment of Pulmonic Consumption. The Pulmonic Syrup ripens the morbid matter, discharges it, and purifies the blood. The Mandrake Pills act upon the liver, remove all obstructions therefrom, give the organ a healthy tone, and cure Liver Complaint, which is one of the most prominent causes of Consumption. The Seaweed Tonic invigorates the powers of the stomach, and by strengthening the digestion and bringing it to a normal and healthy condition improves the quality of the blood, by which means the formation of ulcers or tubercles in the lungs becomes impossible. The combined action of these medicines, as thus explained, will cure every case of Consumption, if the remedies are used in time, and the use of them is persevered in sufficiently to bring the case to a favorable termination.

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Price of the Pulmonic Syrup and Seaweed Tonic each $1.50 per bottle, or $7.50 a half dozen. Mandrake Pills 25 cents a box.

For sale by all druggists and dealers.

Advertisements.

GUARDIAN'S SALE OF

REAL ESTATE.

PURSUANT to a License from the Probate Court for the County of Norfolk, dated March 1, 1870, will be sold by Public Auction on Monday, the eleventh day of April next, at 5 O'clock, P. M., on the premises,—All the right, title and interest of HENRY L. POOL, of Weymouth, in the County of Norfolk, minor, to about 5 1-4 acres of land with a dwelling-house, barn and outbuildings thereon, situate on North Street in said Weymouth, said minor owning one-eighth part of the entire estate. It being the homestead of the late Benjamin F. Pierce, deceased.

ASA POOL, Guardian.

Weymouth, March 22, 1870. 47-49

Sexton Wanted.

PROPOSALS will be received by the Parish Committee, of the first Baptist Society in Weymouth, until April 1st.

C. C. WILBAR,
P. CURTIS,
S. WHITING.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

{L. S.} TO THOMAS H. HAYES, of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, and to any and all other persons claiming any interest in about twelve gallons of ale, in one cask, which by virtue of a warrant issued by me, have been seized at the dwelling-house and grocery store, (a place of common resort being kept therein,) of said Hayes, in said Quincy, on the twelfth day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy, the value of which liquors, with the vessels containing them, does not, in my opinion, exceed twenty dollars.

You are hereby required to appear before me, at my office in Weymouth, in said County, at three o'clock P. M., on the eighteenth day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy, to answer to the complaint against said liquors and the vessels containing them, and for trial, and to show cause, if any you have, why said liquors and the vessels containing them should not be forfeited for being kept for sale by said Hayes, in violation of the laws of this Commonwealth.

Witness my hand and seal, at said Weymouth this twelfth day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy.

EVERETT C. BUMPUS, Trial Justice.

A true copy. Attest:
ANDREW J. GAREY,
Deputy State Constable.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

{L. S.} TO WILLIAM CLEGG, of Weymouth, in the County of Norfolk, and to any and all other persons claiming any interest in about one and one-fourth gallons of whiskey, in five bottles, about one and one-fourth gallons of rum, in five bottles, which, by virtue of a warrant issued by me, have been seized at the saloon of said Clegg, in said Weymouth, on the seventeenth day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy, the value of which liquors, with the vessels containing them, does not in my opinion, exceed twenty dollars.

You are hereby required to appear before me at my office, in Weymouth, in said County, at three o'clock P. M., on the eighteenth day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy, to answer to the complaint against said liquors and the vessels containing them, and for trial, and to show cause, if any you have, why said liquors and the vessels containing them should not be forfeited for being kept for sale by said William Clegg, in violation of the laws of this Commonwealth.

Witness my hand and seal, at said Weymouth, this eighteenth day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy.

EVERETT C. BUMPUS, Trial Justice.

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LUMBER AND PLANING,

HENRY GARDNER would respectfully inform the public that his Lumber business will be continued without interruption, and arrangements having been made for the prosecution of the Planing business, orders will be received as usual, and promptly attended to, at the Office on his Wharf at Weymouth Landing.

East Braintree, March 18, 1870. 46

Notice to Customers.

L. W. HOBART will continue the GRAIN BUSINESS as usual, and orders given to the teamster, or left at the Store house or the Coal Office, East Braintree, will be promptly filled.

East Braintree, March 18, 1870. 46

THE ONLY RELIABLE CURE FOR DYSPEPSIA IN THE KNOWN WORLD.

DR. WISHART'S GREAT AMERICAN DYSPEPSIA PILLS and PINE TREE TAR CORDIAL are a positive and infallible cure for dyspepsia in its most aggravated form, and no matter of how long standing.

They penetrate the secret abode of this terrible disease, and exterminate it, root and branch, forever.

They alleviate more agony and silent suffering than tongue can tell.

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Pine Tree Tar Cordial.

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RICHMOND BURRELL, Guardian.

Weymouth, March 22 1870. 47 49

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THE annual Meeting of the Weymouth and Braintree Mutual Fire Insurance Company, will be held at the office of said Company in Weymouth, on Monday the eighteenth day of April next, at two o'clock in the afternoon, for the choice of officers for the ensuing year, and transaction of any other business that may legally come before them.

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JOHN BLANCHARD,
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Weymouth, Jan. 18, 1870. 38

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

THAT the subscribers have been duly appointed Administrators of the Estate not already administered, of RUTH WHITMARSH, late of Weymouth, in the County of Norfolk, Widow, deceased, and have taken upon themselves that trust by giving bonds, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

JAMES WHITMARSH, } Adm'rs.
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BY **the County Commissioners.** At a meeting of said Commissioners held at Dedham, in and for said County, on the 14th day of February, A. D. 1870, by adjournment of the December meeting next preceding,

Upon the petition of Elnathan Bates and others, of Weymouth, in said County, representing that so much of Commercial street, so called, in said Weymouth, as lies between the dwelling-house of William Wilder and the store of Messrs Bicknell Brothers, ought to be widened and straightened, and praying for such alterations therein as may seem expedient; and as set forth in said petition (notice having been first duly given to all persons and corporations interested,) said Commissioners met at the office of said Elnathan Bates, in North Weymouth, on the twenty-sixth day of August, A. D. 1869, and viewed the route and premises, and heard all persons and corporations interested, and said case was thence continued and adjourned to the regular September meeting next ensuing, and thence to this meeting; and said Commissioners now adjudge that the public convenience and necessity require that said petition be granted.

On the adjudication aforesaid, Ordered that the County Commissioners will meet at the Office of Elnathan Bates, in North Weymouth, in said County, on TUESDAY, the fifth day of April, A. D. 1870, at ten o'clock A. M., and thence proceed to view and locate the widenings, straightenings, and alterations in said street, and determine questions of land damages arising therefrom, and take such order in relation to said adjudication as by law they may be authorized to do; and that an attested copy of said adjudication, with this order thereon, be served upon the Clerk of the Town of Weymouth, thirty days at least before the time appointed for said meeting, and also that a like copy be published three weeks successively in the Weymouth Weekly Gazette, a newspaper printed in said Weymouth, the last publication to be fourteen days at least before said day of meeting; and that like copies be posted up in two or more public places in said town of Weymouth, fourteen days at least before said day of meeting, that all persons and corporations interested may then and there appear and be heard if they see cause so to do.

By the County Commissioners.
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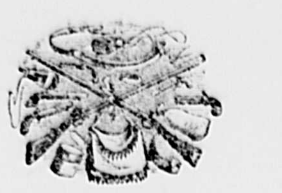

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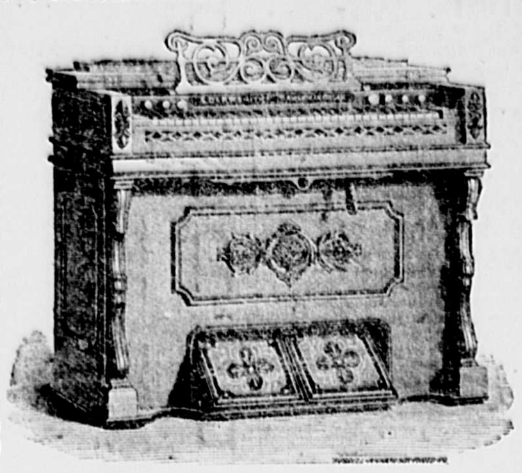

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There is a literary club of ladies and gentlemen in Kalamazoo called the "Ginger Schnapp Club."

First newsboy—"Jim lend us three cents, will yer?" Second newsboy—"Now, look here, what do-you take me for—a Jim Fisk, or a Vanderbilt?"

"Where are you going? asked a little boy of another who had slipped and fallen on an icy pavement. 'Going to get up,' was the blunt reply.

In reply to the objections of the counsel for the defense a Virginia justice said he didn't care about 'consecutions,' and would try de case any how, and if dey didn't have satisfaction, 'dey could repeal his excision.'

At a teachers' institute in Ohio, recently, a lady teacher was given the word 'hazardous' to spell and define, and did it in this style: 'H-a-z, haz, a-r-d, ard hazard, e-double-s, ess, hazardess—a female hazard.'

A schoolmaster said of himself, 'I am like a hone: I sharpen a number of blades, but I wear myself in doing it.'

A correspondent says there is no newspaper in his town; but there is a ladies' work society that answers the same purpose.

A would-be wit asked his old uncle if the tolling of a bell did not put him in mind of his latter end. 'No sir,' he replied, 'but the rope puts me in mind of yours.'

Query—Can a man make a square meal on a round steak?

The woman question—Where did you buy your back hair?

The prim-evil forest was situated in the Garden of Eden.

Although the milkmaid has passed away made-milk hasn't.

A Philadelphia paper, asks, "When one man calls another a Democrat, is the charge ground for a liberal suit?"

The following was received by U. S. Assistant Assessor Leonard of New Bedford, in response to a notice to return an income:

No debts exceed my earthly store,
No watch have I, or golden ore;
My silver plate I ne'er have seen,
Not e'en a dog can stand my spleen;
No billiard table I afford,
My income does not pay my board;
Hence, hence, Assessor, take thy way,
Dame Nature's debt alone I'll pay.
Respectfully,
NO INCOME.

FLATTERING PORTRAIT.—The Washington correspondent of the Ohio State Journal says Senator Pomeroy is known in Kansas as 'Old Beans.' He then describes him as follows: "Old Beans' is a slab-sided broad-bellied, broad-breasted man, with a full-moon face which has the intellectual expression of a frozen squash. He is a coarse-natured, vulgar-mannered, small-minded man, ignorant of science, of literature, of laws.

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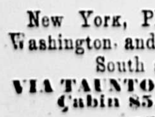

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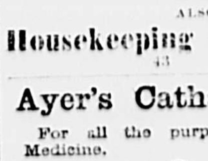

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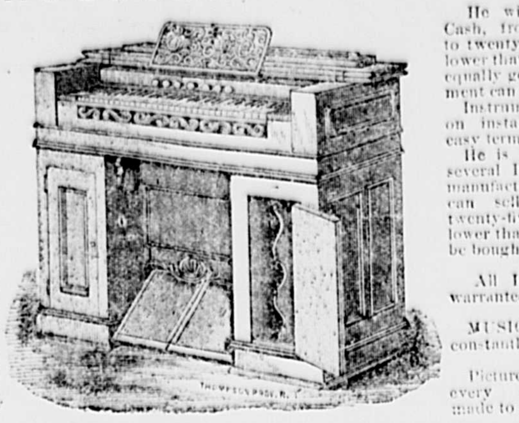

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Braintree, 7.45, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 11.00 A. M.; 12 00 M.; 2.00, 3.30, 4.10, 4.45, 5.00, 5.40, 6.00, 6.30, 9.30, * P. M.
S. Braintree, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 11.00 A. M.; 12 M.; 2.00, 2.30, 3.30, 4.10, 4.30, 5.00, 5.40, 6.00, 6.30, 9.30, * P. M.
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Stoughton, 8.30 A. M.; 12 00 M.; 4.30, 5.40 P M
North Easton, 8.30 A. M.; 12 00 M.; 4.30, 5.40 P. M.
Easton and Raynham, 8.30 A. M.; 12 M.; 4.30 P. M.
Taunton, 8.30 A. M.; 12M.; 4.30, 5.30, P. M.
East Randolph and East Stoughton, 8.00, 11.00 A. M.; 3.30, 6.00 P. M.
North Bridgewater, 8 00, 11.00 A. M.; 3.20, 4.00, 6.00 P. M.
East & West Bridgewater, 8.00, 11.00 A. M.; 3.30, 6 00 P. M
Bridgewater, 8.00, 9.00, 11.00 A. M.; 3.30, 4.00 5, 6 P. M.
Middleboro' 8 00 A. M.; 3.30, 4 00, P. M.
Fall River, (via Bridgewater) 8.00 A. M.; 4.00 P. M.
Fall River, (via Taunton) 8 30 A. M.; 12.00 M.; 4.30, 5.30, P. M.
Newport, 8.30 A. M.; 4.30, P. M.
E. Braintree, 7.45 11.00 a.m.; 2.30, 4.45, 6.00, p.m.
Weymouth, 7.45, 11.00, a.m.; 2.30, 4.45, 6.00, p.m.
N. Weymouth, 7.45, 11.00, a.m.; 2.30, 4.45, 6.00, p.m.
E. Weymouth, 7.45, 11.00, a.m.; 2.30, 4.45, 6.00, p.m.
Hingham, 7.45, 11.00, a.m.; 2.30, 4.45, 6.00, p.m.
Old Colony House, 7.45, 11.00, a.m.; 2.30 4.45, 6.00, p.m.
Nantasket, 7.45, 11.00, a.m.; 2.30, 4.45, 6.00, p.m.
Cohasset, 7.45, 11.00, a.m., 2.30, 4.45, 6 00, p.m.
South Weymouth, 9 am.; 2.30, 5, pm.
North, Centre and South Abington, 9 a.m 2.30, 5, pm.
East Bridgewater, 9 am, 2.30, 5 pm.
North Hanson, Hanson, Halifax and Plympton, 9 am.; 2.30, 5 pm.
Kingston and Plymouth, 9 am.; 2.30, 5 pm.
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Cape Cod Railroad, 8 am.; 4 pm.
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Plymouth, 6.40, 9.30 am.; 3.40 pm.
Kingston, 6.50, 9.40 am.; 3.50 pm.
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South Abington, 7.20, 10.05 am.; 4.20 pm.
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S. Weymouth, 7.36, 10.21 am.; 4.43 pm.
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† O. C. House, 6.28, 7.09, 8.18, a.m. 12.50 4.25, 5.58, p.m.
Hingham, 6.32, 7.15, 8.23 am. 12.55, 1.30, 6.01 p.m.
E. Weymouth 6.41, 7.23, 8.32 a.m., 1.10, 4.40, 6.08 pm.
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E. Braintree 6.54, 7.36, 8.45am., 1.27, 4.52, 6.19pm.
Newport, 7.40 am.; 3 pm.
Fall River, (via Taunton) ‡1.40, 6.40, 8.25 am.; 3.40 pm.
Fall River, (via Bridgewater) 6.55 am.; 3.45 pm.
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E. Stoughton, 7.09, 8.33 am.; 1.13, 5.18 pm.
E. Randolph, 7.15, 8.39 am.; 1.19, 5.23 pm.
Taunton, 7.15, 7.35, 9.05 am.; 4.20 pm.
Raynham, 7.41 am.; 4.27 pm.
Easton, 7.51 am.; 4.32 pm.
North Easton, 7, 8, 9.30 am.; 4.45 pm.
Stoughton, 7.05, 8.07, 9.37 am.; 4.52 pm.
North Stoughton, 7.10 am.;
Randolph, 7.15, 8.15, 9.45 am.; 5.02 pm.
South Braintree, 6.05, 6.55, 7.21, 7.47, 8.22, 8.46, 9.15, 10.35 am.; 1.30, 3, 4.53, 5.08, 5.30, 8.30† pm.
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